

## BANQUET ROGERS OR GET NO ASSISTANCE

Vancouver Conservatives Are  
Prodded From Ottawa on  
Their Dilatoriness

## BOWSER BLOCKED ON HIS RESERVE SCHEME

Rogers Hangs Behind Waiting  
Until Spotlight is Well  
Cleared

## CLAWHAMMERS NEEDED WHEN MINISTER COMES

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Five Lost on Prairie Spend Night  
Surrounded by Thousands  
in Herd.

Muskogee, Okla., Aug. 9.—Five girls in a touring car, lost on the prairie between Muskogee and Cheyenne, Thursday night, were caught in a big cattle herd which held them and the car prisoners until near daylight, when the cattle broke up. The girls are May McSpadden, Lizzie Sharpe and Viola William, of Cheyenne, and Misses Smith and Rucker, of Claremont.

They had decided to drive from Rucker's ranch to Muskogee, 60 miles. They lost the road and darkness caught them on a wide prairie. The motor went wrong and the big herd of cattle began to mill around the machine. There were thousands in the herd. The frightened cattle were jammed so close to the car that at times it almost tipped over. The cattle dispersed after daylight.

## GRAFTING OF LIMBS IS NEW SURGICAL MARVEL

London, Aug. 9.—Dr. A. L. Sorensen, of New York, who is here for the international medical congress, gave details yesterday of a new marvel in surgery he is studying which is grafting new limbs to replace those lost. The victim of amputation may have the leg of a dead man or woman fixed upon him by surgeons, who will join the nerves and veins, making the dead limb revive and begin new life with its new owner.

VETERAN DIES AGED 103.

Edmonton, Aug. 9.—John Wilkinson, 103 years old, died at the Royal Alexandra hospital last night. He was born in Ireland and came to Canada with his parents when he was five years old. They located at York, now Ontario. He fought in the rebellion of 1877-78 under General William R. MacKenzie. He was a member of the Orange lodge for 77 years and a Mason for 80. His oldest son died last year at the age of 70.

## SIR WILFRID LAURIER AT MONTREAL TO HOLD SERIES OF LIBERAL RALLIES

Montreal, Aug. 9.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived in the city yesterday and held a consultation with leading Liberals during the afternoon. An organizer's grand rally will take place at St. Hyacinthe on August 16, at which Sir Wilfrid Laurier and many of the most prominent members of the Liberal party will take part.

According to reports issued last night, based on present indications, it promises to be the largest gathering of the kind ever held in this part of Canada. The rally will be the first of a series which will take place in the province in the next year.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his lieutenants will visit the various centres and place before the electors the attitude of the Liberal party with regard to Imperial matters and their relation to Canada. The naval and fiscal policies of the party and the attitude of the Liberals towards the United States will be detailed.

Sir Wilfrid will also enunciate his views with regard to the opening of new channels through which the natural products of the country may flow.

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Adelaide, S. Aus., Aug. 9.—The existing Parliament House of South Australia at Adelaide forms a portion only of the original design.

The need for increased accommodation, especially for the legislative council, has long been apparent, and the government placed a sum on the estimates as a first instalment toward the completion of the building. An advisory committee, consisting of members of both houses of the legislature, recommends that the structure should be completed in accordance with plans submitted by the public buildings department.

The additions, facing North Terrace and King William road will be of marble—in keeping with the present House of Assembly—and the whole building will present a handsome appearance.

## HOLLOWAY PHYSICIAN ASSAULTED WITH WHIPS

London, Aug. 9.—A group of militant suffragettes armed with whips yesterday assaulted Dr. Allan Campbell Pearson, the medical officer of Holloway jail, as he was entering the prison gates.

The attack was made as a protest against the treatment in the jail of Miss May Richardson, under sentence of three months for breaking windows. Miss Richardson alleged that the doctor had threatened to deal with the suffragettes in such a way as to make them "physical and mental wrecks," after which they would be confined in lunatic asylums."

BULGARIA WAIVES CLAIM.

London, Aug. 9.—The announcement is made in a telegram from Bucharest, Roumania, to-day, that Bulgaria has waived claim to the port of Kavala on the Aegean Sea. If true this concession greatly improves prospects for lasting peace.

DUKE GOES TO SWEDEN.

London, Aug. 9.—Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and party, on board the Alexander, left for Sweden this morning.

## LIND CARRIES PLANS FOR MEXICAN PEACE

President's Representative Will  
Reach Mexico City Prob-  
ably on Monday

## PROPOSALS OF WILSON PUBLISHED NEXT WEEK

Huerta's Hostility Believed to  
Be Due to Unofficial  
Misrepresentation

## THE UTMOST DIPLOMACY IS BEING DISPLAYED

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—John Lind, President Wilson's personal envoy to Mexico, arrived at Vera Cruz on the battleship New Hampshire today. He probably will not be in Mexico City before Monday and the diplomatic crisis between the United States and Mexico is not expected to culminate before that time.

The next development in the situation is expected when Mr. Lind, through Charge O'Shaughnessy presents to Provisional President Huerta President Wilson's proposals to bring about peace. These will be published simultaneously in Washington and Mexico City and at the same time they will be submitted as a matter of information to the powers of the world.

Whether Mr. Lind's presence in Mexico will be "undesirable," as has been stated by the Mexican minister of foreign affairs, will then actually become known. Administration officials here are reluctant to believe that will be Huerta's attitude after it is officially known what Mr. Lind's purpose is. They take the view that the expression of hostility had been aroused by unofficial misrepresentation of the purposes of the mission.

Though there is no official confirmation of the statement, it is said that the passage of the New Hampshire has been a slow one purposely to give the Mexican government opportunity to digest the situation. The ship could have made the passage in twenty-six hours and reached Vera Cruz yesterday afternoon. There are, however, some physical obstacles which will naturally delay Mr. Lind's arrival in Mexico City until Monday.

Because of her heavy draught the New Hampshire will be obliged to anchor five or six miles off Vera Cruz and navy officials doubt if any effort will be made to land the party to-day. The trip from Vera Cruz up to Mexico City ordinarily takes twelve hours.

Before Mr. Lind arrives, Charge O'Shaughnessy is expected to explain to the Mexican foreign office that Mr. Lind comes only as an adviser to the embassy, not to take a part in Mexican politics and on a thoroughly peaceful mission.

The administration maintains its confidence when Huerta understands the fact there will be no obstruction to Governor Lind's mission, and that he will be allowed to discharge his duties as adviser to the American embassy without molestation.

The understanding is based on the belief that Mr. Lind will scrupulously observe the etiquette of diplomacy and will not undertake to raise an issue to his status by addressing himself directly to the General Huerta or the Mexican foreign office, availing himself of the service of the chargé d'affaires as an intermediary for anything that he may care to say.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Aug. 9.—John Lind arrived here on board the battleship New Hampshire at one o'clock. He at once transferred to the battleship Louisiana. Not the slightest opposition was planned by the port authorities to the landing of Governor Lind.

Paris, Aug. 9.—All the news dispatches from Washington published in France describe a rupture between the United States and Mexico as being probably close at hand. Comment on the Mexican situation is sparse. It recognizes the difficult responsibility of the United States, and suggests that the peace policies of President Wilson and Secretary of State Bryan are likely to disappear in the presence of realities.

## PATIENT AT ASYLUM IS BLAMED FOR FIRE

Brockville, Aug. 9.—Last night the barns of the Stagg farm north of Brockville, acquired some time ago by the government as an addition to the lands of the Eastern Hospital for the Insane, were burned with their contents, including a quantity of hay, grain and implements. The fire is supposed to have been the work of Margaret Sullivan, a patient.

She was detected near the barn where the blaze started and was so badly burned that she succumbed to her injuries a few hours later. Damage was done to the extent of about \$4,000, with no insurance.

## CANADA HAD LARGEST SURPLUS WHEN FIELDING WENT OUT; GOVERNMENT TO SEEK LARGE LOAN IN GREAT BRITAIN

INCREASE DURING JULY OF DOMINION PUBLIC  
DEBT \$6,529,104; CUSTOMS REVENUE DECREASE

Four Months of Fiscal Year Shows Increased Expenditure of  
\$9,000,000 and at Next Session of Parliament Further  
Demand Will Be Made by Railway Company  
for Funds

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—From reports here it is evident that London has very certain information that the Canadian government will next session seek a large loan in Great Britain. The financial statement for the first four months of the year is part confirmation of this. The increase of the public debt in July was \$6,529,104, and for the first time in several years the month's customs revenue shows an actual decrease.

For the four months the total expenditure shows an increase of nine millions compared with the same period in 1912. Six millions of this represents payments to Mackenzie & Mann as progress payments on the seventeen millions voted last session. The total revenue for the four months was \$57,080,604, an increase of nearly four and a half millions. Customs revenue in that period was \$38,523,734, an increase of \$1,883,160, although July shows a decrease of \$54,165. At the end of July the net debt of the Dominion was \$298,069,578. The charge in London is that Canada has over-borrowed herself.

This was the report when several municipal financial ventures failed in Great Britain. But London has been more than a sured of this charge does not lie with the Dominion government, which has been very moderate in its loan issues as compared with other overseas Dominions, and has met out of the revenue much that might properly be called capital expenditure.

It is thought, therefore, that the prospect of a federal loan will be regarded in London with favorable interest. For next session there will surely be another demand from certain railways for further financial assistance, and if construction has proceeded satisfactorily it is certain that the demand will be favorably considered. Additional demands will be made, too, on the federal treasury by the provinces after the coming premier's conference, and these also may be taken from a loan and properly charged to an account of the investor. It is thought that a general application will draw attention to Canadian investment.

An interesting summary of British friendly opinion is given in the London Times as follows:

"They admit that the borrowings of Canada during the past few years have been at a rate without precedent, but they declare that her growth in population and productiveness has also been at a rate without precedent and that the money borrowed has on the whole been well spent. It has not been consumed in luxury, but has been invested in new works and enterprises and aids to production which will yield an assured return. They declare that the rise of land values has to a great extent been justified. They will admit, however, that there are cases where it has been pushed too far, particularly in the smaller towns of the west. But they say this is merely a form of the gambling which always goes on in some form or other where there is a sudden growth of wealth, and that the collapse, when it takes place, will affect the gamblers and not the solid property of the country. They contend that the expenditure of the municipalities has not been generally greater than was needed to meet the reasonable requirements of their population and that, while many towns have spent money on improvements which they could do without, they were perfectly justified in carrying out these improvements so long as they could borrow money for them at a low rate. As regards railway building and industrial expansion, they declare that it has not proceeded too fast, but too slow for a country in which the population is increasing at the rate of nearly half a million a year by immigration alone, and in proof of this they point to the congested state of the existing railway lines at certain seasons and to the great volume of imports from the United States which might be produced in Canada itself if there were plant to produce them."

## FOUGHT WAR AGAIN ON LINER PANONIA

Greeks, Servians, Bulgarians and  
Turks Fight in Steerage  
on Atlantic.

New York, Aug. 9.—Officers of the Cunard liner Panonia which arrived here to-day from Trieste reports that a miniature Balkan war occurred almost continuously during the 26 days voyage. Among the steerage passengers were several hundred ex-volunteers, Greeks, Servians, Bulgarians and Turks, who were returning to this country after taking part in the Balkan war. Frequent riots between these hostile factions in the first few days resulted in several combatants going to the sick bay with severe stab wounds.

Capt. Capper thereupon ordered a general disarming, but the fighting continued with whatever missiles were at hand. The nationalities were separated into groups, but on meeting for meals the battle was resumed.

As a precautionary measure the stewards removed the knives and forks from the tables, all the steerage passengers of whom there were 1,121, being obliged to eat with spoons.

It is stated that the women in the warring camps fought as fiercely as the men.

## CHARGES MADE AGAINST BRITISH COLUMBIA MEN

Commission Appointed to Inquire Into  
Administration of Inland Revenue Department.

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—Charges of malfeasance in office which have been brought against J. E. Miller, inspector of inland revenue for British Columbia, and L. B. Parkinson, collector of inland revenue at Vancouver, are to be inquired into. The investigation into the charges will be made by Henry Lalor, inspector of tobacco factories for the Dominion, and Dr. J. K. Barrett, district inspector of inland revenue for Manitoba district.

The order-in-council authorizing the inquiry, which appears in the Canada Gazette to-day authorizes the joint commissioners to conduct an inquiry into matters pertaining to the administration of the affairs of the inland revenue department within the province of British Columbia.

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## ALIEN LAND ACT GOES INTO FORCE TO-MORROW

Corporations Formed by To-day May  
Hold Property for Fifty Years;  
Many Registered.

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—This is the last day, under the Alien Land Act passed by the late legislature, on which Japanese either as individuals or corporations, may acquire land in California. Individuals now holding land may continue to do so during their natural lives, but may not devise it to Japanese heirs. Corporations formed before the law goes into effect tomorrow may hold land for fifty years. Many such corporations have been recorded recently.

"No object of the law has been defeated by these incorporations," says Attorney-General Webb, who revised the bill into its present form. "The law was not intended to force Japanese now owning land to part with it at once, or within any fixed period. They were to be permitted to hold it during their lives. By forming corporations they merely extended their period of ownership."

"But after August 10 the object of the law which is to prevent an increase in the amount of alien

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**UNITED STATES CROP  
DAMAGED BY DROUGHT**

Loss of 300,000,000 Bushels of Corn Since July 1 Officially Reported

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—A loss of 300,000,000 bushels of corn, the nation's greatest farm crop, has resulted from the great damage wrought by drought and other conditions since July 1, the government's experts estimated to-day in their August crop report. A total production of 2,672,000,000 bushels of corn was predicted. This is 452,000,000 bushels less than last year's crop. The general condition of corn was placed at 75.8 per cent. of a normal, compared with 86.9 on July 1.

Kansas was hit hardest, the condition there having been reduced from 81 per cent. in July to 30 per cent. on August 1. Oklahoma comes next with a condition of 44 against 87 in July, and Nebraska reported 67 against 90 July 1. These three states have almost 19 per cent. of the total area planted to corn this year.

A bright spot in the monthly grain report, however, was the preliminary statistics, showing a production of 511,000,000 bushels of winter wheat. This is the greatest harvest of wheat ever gathered in the United States, exceeding the record crop of 1902 by 10,000,000 bushels. To-day's figures exceeded by 28,000,000 bushels the estimate made by the department in July.

Spring wheat was given an increased estimate of production, it being 18,000,000 bushels more than the July estimate, the total being placed at 233,000,000 bushels. With the bumper winter wheat crop and a fairly good spring wheat production, the total harvest of all wheat is estimated at 744,000,000 bushels.

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**PROFESSOR SHORTT ON  
ECONOMIC ADVANTAGES**

Widened Gap Between Imports and Exports Will Close With Settlement of Country

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—The balance of trade in Canada, which for the past ten years has shown an increasing preponderance of imports over exports, is the subject of an article in the Census and Statistic's Monthly by Professor Adam Shortt, in which he gives his views of a phenomenon which has caused a lot of misgiving to many people. After commenting on the fact that for the twelve months ending April 30, 1913, imports totalled \$672,880,975, against exports totalling \$585,750,835. Professor Shortt notes that during this period of expanding imports the balance of exchange in gold has not been against Canada, but on the whole in her favor. The explanation, says Prof. Shortt, is simple, though the secondary consequences may be somewhat complex and remote.

The great proportional excess of the imports over exports has of course resulted from, and is offset by, borrowing of outside capital by the Canadian government, corporations and individuals and by the direct investment of outside capitalists in Canadian real estate, mines, timber and various enterprises. The largest investments of borrowed capital, representing hundreds of millions, have been made by the various public authorities—the Dominion and provincial governments, and the municipal corporations. Besides these, the three great railway systems, and many other corporations of a semi-public nature, real estate and other investments aggregate a vast total. The majority of the investments have been of such a nature that, while the capital has expanded within a few years, many of the returns from them, however beneficial in their effects, will not take economic form of figure in future exports, as in the case of hundreds of expensive buildings, civic expenditures of various kinds, etc.

The professor goes on to point out that only a comparatively small amount of the capital borrowed on Canadian account has come to the country in the shape of money, almost the whole of it having been in the shape of goods. Thus the gap between exports and imports has been steadily widening, and will continue to do so until the construction of railways and the building of cities fall off. There invariably a large proportion of the people must return to the consumption of articles for more immediate consumption and export. When this movement begins, the gap will gradually close, until when the principal and interest of the money come to be paid, exports will exceed imports with as little disturbance to the exchanges as has been found in the past.

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It is very dangerous—dangerous to any rate for this country—to play off British policy in Mexico against that of the United States, and there are a great many frankly apprehensive at this new development of trust methods in their influence in British diplomacy. Lord Cowdray's own about half the oil lands in Mexico, and there is no doubt that he has to meet the fierce competition of the Standard Oil Company, but our experience is that one of these typical concerns is about as bad as the other, and there is no possibility of working up any sympathy whatever for the woes of either. The Admiralty, however, is naturally perturbed. It is quite impossible to get even at present sufficient oil for the navy, and the difficulty will become steadily greater. Hence, it would not be sorry to see Lord Cowdray on the top in Mexico, only if the constitutionalists succeed Lord Murray is likely to have a particularly onerous task when, as is shortly expected, he turns up in Mexico to tell the new government that "Codlin's the friend, not short." They have their own views on that.

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**BRITISH INTEREST IN  
MEXICO REVOLUTION**

Capitalists Anxious to Have  
Huerta Administration Recognized by Washington

(Special Correspondence.)

London, July 26.—The Mexican revolution may not apparently interest this country, but its progress is being watched with a good deal of anxiety in certain circles for very obvious reasons. In the first place there is the foreign office uneasiness lest it may drag into the affairs of the public; then there is Lord Cowdray, with his vast oil concessions, since he cannot be unaware that the revolutionaries who seem to be winning are ill-disposed—to use no stronger term—to his intervention in their doings; next comes the Admiralty, which realizes that the oil supply of the navy, potential though it may be, is seriously menaced in respect of this concession of Lord Cowdray's which is rapidly becoming familiar to everyone under the aegis of the "Mexican Eagle Company," and finally there are the big financial houses who, like the "big things" Mexican, who all know by this time that the era of more or less irresponsible loans to the particular party which happens to have seized the reins of power in that disturbed land is over.

The situation is such as will repay very close watching, and I do not think that we have heard the last by any means of the great oil question. In any case, matters must come to a head very shortly, and if the revolutionaries really do win, then there may be developments and disclosures as to the part played by the international commercial organizations. Everything turns on the action of the United States, which fuses to recognize the new government in Mexico. Washington never takes its lead from what the European powers do or do not do with respect to Mexico; it never—*to quote the most historic case*—recognized the government of the ill-fated Maximilian, and events proved the accuracy of the judgment of those responsible for this policy.</

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## TESTING VOICES FOR

## MENDELSSOHN CHOIR

Dr. Augustus S. Vogt Preparing for Invasion of Europe in 1915

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Reorganization of the Mendelssohn choir for the coming season will take place as soon as Dr. Augustus S. Vogt, the director of the society, completes his trials of voices. During the past year the choir gave no concerts and held no rehearsals, because Dr. Vogt was in Europe studying the choral situation in cities of Great Britain and the continent and making preliminary arrangements for a visit by his singers to Europe in 1915.

Although the choir will not begin rehearsals until the fall Dr. Vogt is already making up his list of singers, going through the sections of his organization of two years ago, voice by voice, and making up the roster of performers for his concerts of February, 1915. This work of selecting the membership is of more importance for the director than ever before, because the choir having won for itself by its appearances in 1911 recognition as one of the leading musical societies of North America, is not only to maintain that position, but is to seek recognition in Europe as one of the leading musical societies of the world.

Dr. Vogt has the double relation of choral interpreter and musical pedagogue in the community of Toronto. His conducting, which to the outside world is the most significant part of his work, has occupied a comparatively small part of his time. His choirs, which have brought him the reputation of one of the greatest conductors of the day, demands his attention only for the routine of rehearsals the first half of the season and for a week of concerts in February. Otherwise he is engaged as a professor of music at the Toronto Conservatory of Music. Hitherto he has held the post of piano professor in that institution. But now he is its director, succeeding Edward Fisher.

In his new post, Dr. Vogt will not only have a larger pedagogic influence than heretofore, but he will be able to give more thought to his choir. He plans no immediate enlargement of the concert schedule of his organization. He will go on with the rehearsals of the singers in the music hall of the conservatory, and he will prepare the usual week of performances which he gives in midwinter.

The severity of Dr. Vogt as a drill master is a favorite theme for comment among the members of the Mendelssohn choir. They say that the one demand he makes inexorably is that every singer shall keep an eye constantly on his baton. They say that it is a point of discipline with him to lead the choir into some flowing passage, right toward a climax, and just before he reaches the culminating chord to stop beating time. What happens to the singer who utters a sound after the baton stops they do not say.

But this device of the director for testing attention, which in many societies would doubtless seem arbitrary and harsh, is accepted loyally and good-humoredly by the Mendelssohn singers.

Only preliminaries in the plan of the tour are as yet announced. The choir that goes across the sea will be substantially the one that appeared on the tour of cities of the United States in 1911; for the membership, inflexible as is the rule for reorganization every season on the basis of merit, does not significantly change at the voice trials. Every singer does his best to retain his place, for he knows that there is more than one waiting to supplant him. The tour will start, according to present plans, with a concert in Ottawa. One other city will be visited in North America, and that is Boston, where a concert will be given and whence the choir will sail.

AMERICAN AVIATOR  
RACED WITH TRAIN

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—C. Marvin Wood, the American aviator, yesterday attempted a non-stop race in his monoplane with a train from New York to Washington and thence to Fort Myer, Va., for exhibition flights. He reached his destination late in the afternoon after he had been compelled to interrupt his flight on a farm near Gaithersburg, Md., sixteen miles from Washington. Wood won his race with the train, making the landing at Gaithersburg at one minute after 9 o'clock, forty minutes before the train rolled into the station. He failed to break all the American records he had hoped to smash, but claimed to have established new marks for non-stop flying between two points and for duration.

ENGLISH WIRELESS  
EXPERTS IN VIENNA

Vienna, Aug. 9.—Sir Henry Norman, P. O., and Commander Silvertop, of the English war office wireless committee, visited Vienna for the purpose of inspecting the manufacture of the Poulsen apparatus of wireless telegraphy. Tests were also made by the visitors of the Poulsen military wagon and other contrivances.

The new wireless station at Ober Laa, near Vienna, fitted with the Poulsen system, was inspected. This station was erected to enable the Austro-Hungarian war office to enter into communication with all the military and naval stations in the country.

APPOINT COMMISSION.

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—Government approval has been given the appointment of the members of the Vancouver Harbor Commission, which will administer the affairs of this port under authority given by the act passed at the last session of parliament. The commission will consist of F. L. Carter-Cotton, Sam McClay and J. A. Fullerton.

## SUPPLY OF OIL

## FOR THE ADMIRALTY

Vast Sources of Supply in the Dominions but a Different Policy is Needed

London, Aug. 9.—That the oil age has definitely arrived in the navy was made quite clear in Mr. Churchill's speech. One of the most important questions opened up by the oil revolution is, of course, the adequacy of the supply. In a sweeping generalization Mr. Churchill declared that there was plenty of oil in the world. It is also true that there is plenty of oil in the British Empire—an important matter from the naval point of view. This is also the home production to which Mr. Churchill referred. According to the editor of "Oil News" and "The Petroleum World," the Scottish shale oilfields are now producing 300,000 tons of oil per annum, and the output is capable of being largely increased. The Admiralty are already buying on a considerable scale in these fields, and can, taking all the circumstances into consideration, look to them for one of their cheapest and best supplies. Mr. Churchill assured the House of Commons that immense deposits of clay containing oil-bearing seams stretch across the country from Dorsetshire to Lincolnshire. But Mr. Smith points out that these have never been worked on a commercial basis.

Oil in the Dominions. Mr. Smith traced, in a few words, what may be called the Imperial oil line round the world. Here is his survey, in brief:

Newfoundland—Oil found on a small scale, but not yet produced on a paying basis.

Canada—Large oil field in Ontario,

whose output, however, has been declining for some years. The production of crude oil is 35,000 tons a year. But oil indications have been found in Western Canada.

West Indies—Trinidad is the most promising new oil field. Some 2,000 barrels, or 300 tons, are produced per day, although only about 90 wells, taking the good with the bad, have been drilled in all.

Barbados—A survey has just been carried out here, and the eminent geologist who reported for the government states that there is every prospect of a flourishing oil industry being established.

New Zealand—Oil has been found in both islands, but principally at New Plymouth. Some six or seven companies are working in New Zealand, though the daily production so far is small and not much encouraged.

Australia—Oil indications in various parts, but with the exception of some shale operations, there has been no commercial development.

Burma—Well over 200 million gallons of crude oil are produced every year.

Egypt—The Royal Dutch and Shell group have large properties which have produced a considerable quantity of oil, but they require further development. Another £250,000 has just been put into the properties.

Cyprus—Definite oil indications have been found in the north-east corner, but opinions differ as to their value.

A Cosmopolitan Monopoly.

There is no question, Mr. Smith points out, of the abundance of imperial oil supply, but if the Admiralty wish to secure it a different policy will have to be pursued from that which was adopted in Trinidad, whose oil field has been practically handed over to a "cosmopolitan monopoly." All the unofficial members of the Trinidad Legislature voted for a committee of inquiry into the matter, but the authorities, with the aid of their official majority, defeated the proposal.

A very large proportion of the world's supply, it is admitted, is in the hands of one or two companies, which are now, for certain purposes, combining.

PARLIAMENT TO MEET  
EARLIER THAN USUAL

Eastern Newspaper Believes There Will Be No Redistribution Measure This Year.

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—"There is good reason for believing at the present time that a measure of redistribution will not be introduced in parliament this year," says The Evening Journal. The chief reason for this is that the whole basis and system of the parliamentary representation may be changed as a result of the conference of Provincial Premiers which will be held in Ottawa some time in September.

The Journal also states that it has been practically decided that parliament will meet in November, and not in January, as has been urged on the Government, more particularly by Western and Maritime Province members.

The closure rules are not likely to go a very long way towards shortening the session," says The Journal. Closure is designed merely to do away with obstructions and not intended to stop full and fair discussion of any important measure by the representatives of the people, and it is quite possible that it may not be adopted in a single instance this coming session. All of this points to the fact that in order to get through in a reasonable time, parliament will meet earlier than usual."

PELKEY SIGNS UP.

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## HOW MAUREL LEARNED TO ACT.

Friend of Great Barytone Told Him of His Shortcoming.

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Maurel began as a star singer in the old style. One day when he was practising in his hotel he received a visit from a painter who lived in a studio at the top of the hotel. The painter came to say how much he had enjoyed the singing of the great barytone. "Your voice enters my room like a ray of sunshine. I have bought a seat for tomorrow to hear you in 'William Tell.'"

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JAPAN GOVERNMENT WILL  
NOT APPEAL TO HAGUE

London, Aug. 9.—The Japanese government has no intention of initiating immediately a test case on the California alien land ownership regulation, says a dispatch to the Times from Tokio, but rather will wait for some special opportunity to dispute the act solely on the basis of treaty rights.

The correspondent adds that it is not Japan's purpose to appeal to the Hague court of arbitration or to demand naturalization rights for her subjects.

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### GOODBYE, NEW ZEALAND!

The end of a memorable week closes yet another chapter of the marine history which is being made so rapidly these days in Victoria. For to-day the New Zealand—the largest and most powerful fighting machine on the Pacific—raises anchor and sets forth to carry the White Ensign into the great Latin ports both north and south of the equator before resting again under the Canadian flag in the waters of Halifax harbor. We have no hesitation in saying that her stay in this port, short as it has been, will be a life-long memory to all those who had the privilege of visiting the Leviathan, of marvelling at her mechanical wonders, and of admiring the devices of deadly destruction which have only been evolved after many decades of progressive invention.

During their brief stay here captain, officers and crew have made many personal friends, and their warm hospitality, kindness and friendliness have helped to forge, we hope, bonds of mutual appreciation. Wherever they have gone, their enthusiasm, modesty and good humor have made them universally popular, with the result that their reception at the hands of Victoria people has been no less hearty and sincere than that which we hope and believe will some day be extended to Canadian sailors manning a Canadian fleet. While we cannot but feel regret that they are leaving us to visit strange places and distant seas, there still remains the sweet savor of personal friendships that have been formed and of broader ties of kin that have been strengthened by the visit.

To-night the harbor will look strangely deserted without the New Zealand. She has come to be regarded as a fitting part of the landscape, and when she ploughs her way outward at six o'clock this evening the city will lose something which has been interwoven, in an incredibly short space of time, into the texture of its daily life—the visualization of a cordial sentiment existing between all Canadians and the people of that other Dominion whose name the great battle cruiser bears. And yet on the lips of every individual of the thousands of Victorians who will see her depart will be the spoken wish and in their hearts the earnest hope that the thunder of the salute means not farewell, but only an "au revoir." Of one thing Victoria is certain—that whenever the New Zealand comes here again she is assured of a welcome that will be no less heartfelt and no less spontaneous than it has been on this present occasion.

To all true Canadians the sight of the great watchdog lying in harbor has been a pleasing foretaste of what will prove to be a familiar scene when the whirligig of time brings us a real Canadian navy to guard Pacific shores. The knowledge of her supreme force and efficiency and the impression of her silent strength cannot but endow all with a feeling of complete confidence. To have this confidence and serenity permanently we richer for us than fine gold, for with battle cruisers so grim and powerful like her to guard our shores nothing in the Pacific could challenge their defence of us.

### SUCCESSFUL PARADE.

From every point of view yesterday's parade, the chief feature of Carnival Week, was the finest that has ever been witnessed in this city. All Victorians must have turned out to witness the pageant, and the hearty cheering which greeted the especially fine effects amply repaid the exhibitors for all the care and pains which had obviously been expended upon them. The policing of the route was remarkably effective and enabled the many thousands who witnessed the progress of the parade to do

so without inconvenience or discomfort of any kind.

Not the least pleasing feature of the cavalcade was the presence of a notable company of the Tillikums from Seattle, who, entering heartily into the spirit of the occasion, played a spectacular part in the procession. There is no room for doubt that social reciprocity of this nature helps considerably to cement good feeling and fellowship between our own citizens and those to the south of the line. Nor would the cordiality of their reception all along the line of route serve to lessen the entente which happily exists.

The various friendly societies and orders in the city were conspicuous for the size and magnificence of their floats, and while touching on this phase a word of commendation is due to the Order of Good Tempairs for the unfortunate accident which put them out of the parade and utterly destroyed an attractive exhibit which had taken a large sum of money and many hours of patient thought and labor to evolve. Many of the smaller entries were also particularly beautiful, resplendent as they were with flowers and greenery, in addition to artificial decorations of all kinds.

The Victoria Fire Brigade, a corps of which the city has every right to be proud, made a brave showing in their spick and span uniforms, their generally smart appearance attracting very favorable comment from both local people and visitors. The engines and equipment appeared to be in perfect condition and there is every indication that Chief Davis aims to turn out the best drilled and best equipped company of fire-fighters on the continent of America.

The appearance of the veterans of past campaigns was a highly popular feature of the parade and served to remind us that, while youth must be served, there is always a place in the heart for those who have dared and done in days gone by. While it is impossible to mention every feature of the pageant, there is no doubt that public spirit and private enterprise combined more wholeheartedly and successfully on this occasion than on any other in the history of the city.

The Oriental problem in British Columbia has assumed a new phase. The plodding Asiatic is no longer content to remain a hewer of wood and a drawer of water for his Occidental brother. He aspires to ownership of land, and that is something to which the white farmer objects. And yet the aspirations of the Orientals are just what might have been expected, but which were not anticipated when the farmers of Duncan and neighborhood not so very long ago were clamoring for the reduction of the head tax upon the ground that they were hampered in their operations because of a lack of cheap labor. Evidently there can be but one real solution of the Oriental problem.

Chief Langley and his force of the finest during the present week were confronted with a real "emergency," and they came through the ordeal with flying colors. If any of the undesirable element which usually finds a field for its operations in the circumstances which have prevailed here this week succeeded in passing the cordon that guarded the docks, they profited but little by their success. British Justice is evidently a terror to evildoers. Furthermore, the very best of order was maintained during the week, and the police force was not over-zealous at that.

In one issue the Ottawa organ of Premier Borden announces authoritatively that parliament will not meet until January, and in the succeeding issue the public are informed that the members will be called together in November. The truth probably is that Mr. Borden in this as in other matters does not know exactly what to do. He had such a trying time during the last session that he doubtless desires to postpone as long as possible another set-to with the pestiferous Grits. But in the meantime what about the German menace that constituted such a grave emergency?

The visit of the battleship New Zealand, thanks to the fine courtesy of her captain and crew, has awakened in the breasts of Victorians memories of old times when it was a common thing to see jolly bluejackets in our streets. It has also created a feeling that no Canadian naval policy will be satisfactory, adopting a phrase once uttered by Sir Richard McBride, that does not make adequate provision for the protection of the Pacific coast.

The Colonist ventures the opinion that possibly the Premier and the Attorney-General may have some faint idea respecting the legal tenure upon which reserves are held by Indians. That is a bold thing to suggest in light of the fact that the Attorney-General has had several tiffs with the Dominion upon this and other questions and in every one of them he has been unimpaired.

Some one, it appears, has been heard to utter a word of commendation for the street railway company. Surely this is something without parallel in the annals of criticism. Next thing

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The Times is chid for not accepting the word of Premier McBride in regard to his mission to Britain. Well the premier once before made a costly trip at the expense of the people of the province upon business which was ostensibly public, and came back with a "handle to his name."

While there is life there is hope. The quick in Chicago have rebelled against the funeral trust—and the high cost of dying is to be reduced. How is this revolution to be brought about? By the substitution of motor busses for the trust-owned funeral cars.

All eyes except the right ones appear to be upon this promised land. British Columbia is threatened with an invasion of thousands of Hindus. The situation is serious with a government in power at Ottawa whose leader has about as much backbone as a jelly fish.

There can be no doubt about it, from a spectacular point of view, the last day but one of the carnival was an unqualified success.

**THE HOLIDAY TIME.**  
From the Guelph Mercury.  
The season of the year is drawing near and one will have a good comfortable house in the city, with every possible convenience, and go to live in some tumbledown shack in the woods, trying all the while to imagine that they are having a good time.

**FOREARMED.**  
From the Washington Star.  
"I want to be procrastinated at the next corner," said Mr. Erastus Pinsky. "You," said the conductor.  
"Don't lose your temper. I had to look up in a dictionary myse' befo' I found out what 'procrastinate' means 'put off.'"

**GENERAL IMPRESSION.**  
From Cincinnati Enquirer.  
A trace of envy seems to lurk wherever human toil is known. Each thinks the other fellow's work is vastly easier than his own.

**BITS OF WISDOM.**  
One who has sense enough to take advice has too much sense to need it—Emerson.

You will find poetry nowhere unless you bring some with you.—Joubert.

Years of study and thought are often compressed into a single paragraph—Ballou.

Work is the inevitable condition of human life, the true source of human welfare.—Tolstoi.

There is always a black spot in our sunshine; it is the shadow of ourselves.—Carlyle.

The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you desire to appear.—Hazlitt.

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**BRUSSELS SQUARES** — There are only 24 of these carpets left and they are marked for a quick sale on Monday. They are a fine quality and made with interwoven borders and have combination centres. Some of these are in self-tone effects in blues, greens and browns, also Oriental patterns. Size 3x 4 yds. Clearing price, Monday, each ..... \$18.00

**TAPESTRY SQUARES** — A square that's noted for hard wear and these are to be had in size 3x4 yards. They are made with one seam down the centre, and in a good range of combination colorings and designs. Suitable for any style of room. Only 50 Squares in the lot marked for a quick sale Monday at, each ..... \$8.75

**HEAVY SCOTCH LINOLEUM** — This is your special opportunity to cover your floors with an extra heavy quality Linoleum for little cost. This quality is suitable for any room or place of hard wear, and will give lasting satisfaction. We have about 600 yards and the patterns are in block, floral and tile effects, both in light and dark shades. Special sale price, Monday, per square yard ..... 49¢

**AXMINSTER RUGS** — A most serviceable rug, woven with a deep, rich pile in a choice selection of patterns and colorings. We have about 300 of these and there's a pattern here that will match any style of carpet. Special sale price, Monday ..... \$2.10

## Inexpensive Bedroom Furnishings

**HERE'S** a useful list of Dressers, Chiffoniers, Bureaus and Combinations that are quite inexpensive in price, and yet built on sound principles of well-seasoned lumber. They are to be seen in the Broad street windows and tell their own story much better than we can describe it here. The low prices should cause quick selling on Monday.

**SURFACED OAK DRESSER**, in Early English finish, also golden, well-made and finished throughout. Has three drawers and good size bevelled mirror over. Sale price \$8.90

**BUREAU** in surfaced oak, finished golden or Early English to match dresser. Have 1 drawer, 1 cupboard and towel rail. Sale price, \$3.50

**CHIFFONIERE** in surfaced oak, finished golden or Early English. Has five drawers and mirror over. Special sale price ..... \$9.75

**Why Not Buy a New Range While Prices Are Low**

BUYING a range is not an every-day affair, and it's not every day that we can offer them to you at these prices. That's just the reason why you should make the best of this money-saving opportunity.

The Diamond Steel Range is the best range that money and experience has been able to produce for the price asked. It is handsome in appearance and in its construction enter the latest range principles and improvements, together with the greatest durability and economy.

Beside having a large capacity for cooking and baking the Diamond will heat more water and heat it hotter with the same fuel than any other range. It is a range we strongly recommend.

In three sizes, with high warming closet.

15-inch oven. Reg. price \$35. Sale price ..... \$29.75

17-inch oven. Reg. price \$37. Sale price ..... \$32.25

19-inch oven. Reg. price \$40. Sale price ..... \$34.75

Very little trimmings are used and the collars are chiefly of fur, plush or fancy velvets. The buttons have been selected with great care and frequently add to the effectiveness of a garment. In most cases they are in the new, bright shades.

See window displays for samples.

## Many Changes in the Style and Finish of

## Women's Costumes and Coats for Fall Wear

**VISIT** to the department will prove of greater interest than anything that can be said here about the beautiful models that Dame Fashion has presented for the Fall and Winter. It is impossible to give a word picture that will do justice to the many new and novel features that are so prominent in the new season's models; then the pleasing colors cannot be reproduced here.

### Tailored Costumes

The strictly man-tailored Costumes are proving more popular than ever so far this season. They come in high-grade Serges, Bedford Cords, Fancy Worsted and Suitings, also various new materials that have a novel and pleasing appearance. One of the leading features is the longer coat which is finished square or cutaway. All are lined with the best of Skinner satin and every line of the garments show good taste and skillful tailoring.

### Pleasing Effects in Novelty Costumes

The cutaway style continues to be very pronounced in this line of costumes and another strong feature is the longer coats.

The materials are unusually handsome and include silk brocades, plain and fancy Eponges, Velours, Two-tone Coteles and Bedford Cords. The trimmings on collars, revers and cuffs are of velvet, plushes and brocades, also braids and fancy buttons.

The skirts are made in several different styles and from the great variety that is now being shown, it should be an easy matter to find just the style of costume that will give you the most pleasure and satisfaction throughout the season.

### Fall Coats That Are Distinctive in Style and Materials

The styles differ so from the late season and there are so many interesting features that there is nothing like paying a visit to the department and taking note of the many new ideas that have been expressed by the fashion artists.

The three-quarter and seven-eighth lengths are the most popular but the woman who prefers a full-length style will find that she has been well provided for.

To a considerable degree the modified cutaway effects are favored, though many straight-cut coats are to be found in the lines shown.

Much attention has been given to the neck finish, almost invariably the collars are so arranged that they can be fastened high up for protection of the neck in cold weather, or can be worn open to form revers.

The materials are very handsome and include many new fabrics—Curl Cloths, Rough Mixtures, Eponges, etc.

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## Beautiful Curtains and Draperies

MARKED AT QUICK-SELLING PRICES FOR MONDAY

NOW is the time to buy the materials that will make the home more attractive and comfortable. Why wait till the prices go back to the higher and normal mark and get no better materials? The showing of the goods in the windows will be sufficient to convince you that the lines quoted below are great bargains in every sense of the word. Many other equally good values are to be had but space will not permit a full description here.

Visit the department and make your choice while there is





# THE AUTOMOBILE IN AND AROUND VICTORIA

MARINE DRIVE

BC ENG. CO.

## WILL DISCUSS COAST ROAD AT VANCOUVER

### Pacific Highway Association Meets on Monday; What Has Been Done

Dealing with the Pacific Highway Association meeting which begins on Monday in Vancouver, J. W. Dowling, in the current issue of the *Western Canadian Motorist*, says in part:

"The object of the association is rapidly being realized and to-day except for two short breaks, both we are sorry to say in our own territory, the road now stretches continuously from a point a few miles north of Hazelton in Northern British Columbia, and consequently some fifty miles further north than the extreme southern end of Alaska, to the little town of Yuma in Arizona. During the winter months much of this road is unfortunately impossible, a condition which, with intelligent co-operation between the various communities, aided by judicious government pressure, will soon become ancient history. The Pacific Highway Association is endeavoring to hasten this desirable consummation."

Officers Are Capable.

"The association has always been fortunate in its officers; the first and still continuing president is His Honor Judge Jas. T. Ronald, of the Superior court of the state of Washington, and the senior vice-presidents for British Columbia are our well known friends, A. E. Todd, of Victoria, and F. R. McD. Russell, one of Vancouver's leading legal luminaries. Other Can-

ing the highway route through the various municipalities.

Better Than Expected.

"The truly wonderful progress which has been made is really extraordinary and is far beyond the expectations held by anyone in 1910. At that time the most sanguine hope of the executives was that by 1912 there might be a fairly good road between San Diego and Vancouver. It was soon realized that by the exposition year there would be no doubt about the road between Hazelton and Mexico City, and this success has justified the artist's flight of fancy in depicting upon the badge of the association a highway from the Arctic to the Antarctic. Unfortunately the long drawn out hostilities in Mexico have up to the present prevented the securing of any very definite results there and for the time being all effort to arouse interest in that benighted country has ceased.

British Columbia will benefit as the association is devoting its energies to secure the betterment of the Northern British Columbia roads up to and beyond Hazelton."

Thirty-Five Counties.

"There are thirty-five counties along the route of the highway in the States, and the magnitude of the task of getting so many conflicting interests into line can be readily conceived. Bills were introduced in the various legislatures providing for the construction of through roads, but success was only achieved in California. Washington defeated the motion and Oregon gave it the most severe setback, but the association is doggedly sticking to its plans, and the bills are to be re-introduced in due course. California is benefitting by her support, and the work there is proceeding very fast; hundreds of miles are being permanently hard-paved while through the mountains oiled gravel and macadam are the standard construction. The people of Washington have realized the error and are taking every step possible to remedy the blunder of their

and distributive industries as the extension of the all-the-year good road, and the development of mechanical traction which is as yet still in its infancy.

"The problem of self-propelled road vehicles is not a question of pleasure or rich men's playthings, but lies at the bottom of the whole economic basis of present day living, and back of it all rests the condition of the

highway route through the various municipalities.

Address from the Island vice-president, P. H. A. E. Todd, of Victoria.

Address from the president of the Canadian Highway Association, W. J. Kerr, of New Westminster.

Address from Norman B. Abrams; subject, "The Pacific Highway as an Asset."

McCalla, M. D., of Boise, Idaho; subject, "National Highways."

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Evening Session.

Illustrated lantern lecture by the president of the American Road Builders' Association, S. Hill; subject, "Roadways of Two Continents."

Illustrated lantern lecture by the commissioner of Rainier National park; subject, "Some Recent Road Construction. A Trip to Rainier National Park."

Address from the Oregon vice-president of the P. H. A. Frank B. Riley, of Portland.

Tuesday Morning.

Report from the secretary of the P. H. A. F. M. Fretwell, of Seattle.

New and unfinished business.

Short talks from vice-presidents of the P. H. A.

Afternoon Session.

Automobile drive around Vancouver, Stanley park, and to the residence of S. Ginzburg, who is entertaining a garden party. Cars will assemble on Georgia street, west of Howe street, at 2:30 p.m. Owners decorate if possible.

Evening Session.

Open—awaiting reply from the deputy minister of public works, W. W. Foster.

Wednesday Morning.

Reports from the committees, election of officers, and unfinished business.

Afternoon Session.

Excursion to Wigwam Inn, Indian river, by S. S. "Alluvia," tea to be served in the grounds.

DRIVING IN SAND.

Experienced Pathfinder Tells How to Overcome the Difficulties.

There is quite a knack in driving successfully through sand and clay, according to that veteran pathfinder, Dr. Charles G. Percival, who took a car 55,000 miles and from Mexico to the Arctic circle. He says: "In heavy sand deflate the tires about one-third and if the sand will not be subdued, then put on your chains, but be sure and pump the tires up after passing through the sand."

"In soft mud, clay and the like, do not deflate the tires, but put on your chains. If it is bad, do not continue to spin the driving wheel, which only makes the hole larger and lets the car down to the axle or differential. Don't fill up the hole with stones and other rubbish. Jack up the car on a flat board with a solid stone or log foundation beneath and then fill in the hole you have made with anything solid, but level with the board and drive on to it. A great deal of trouble can be avoided by keeping to the centre of the road as much as possible."

FOR THE FARMERS.

The automobile show to be held in connection with Cleveland's summer fair this year will appeal particularly to farmers, as arrangements are being made by the show promoters to provide especially large accommodations for demonstrators with machines adaptable to farm use. As roads will be in much better condition than in winter, when Cleveland's annual show is held, it is expected farmers will attend the mid-summer exhibition in large numbers and that they will easily be interested in farm motor appliances.

SEARCH FOR CAR.

It isn't any more "Look for the woman in the case" when a trusted employee goes wrong, according to the statement of a well-known identity company. It's "Look for the motor car."

"As soon as it is reported to us that an employee with a medium salary, who is bonded by our company, has bought an automobile, even of the cheapest kind, we immediately get busy," said the president of this company. "The automobile in the hands of a young man of small income is ten times worse as a tempter than woman ever was. It seems to grip its victim with a clutch that can't be broken. Our records could tell stories that would make fiction look tame in comparison."

TAKE COAL IN TRUCK.

The high cost of transportation in the retail coal trade has prompted a company at Waterbury, Conn., to adopt the tractor method of delivery in that town. The results are entirely satisfactory, the increased efficiency due to lowering the transportation cost and the greater promptness of delivery obtained being very marked.

This firm uses a tractor in connection with three detachable body trailers of seven tons capacity each. These trailers are of the two-wheeled type and are provided with a pair of hinged jacks at the forward end which support the body when the tractor is withdrawn.

NO MOTORS THERE.

Prince Edward Island is the only province of Canada which prohibits the use of motor vehicles on its highways and public places. This was thought necessary in the public interest and for the safety of the travelling public. The penalty for breaking this law is \$500 or six months in jail. Public highway, in the act, includes any highway, public street, square, alley, lane, park, or public place.

## SHOWS THE CAUSE

Way in Which Motor Stops Indicates Nature of Trouble to Be Remedied.

The way the motor stops furnishes to the accustomed ear an accurate indication of the source of trouble. When the stop comes suddenly, and resembles that when the switch is opened, the trouble is in the ignition system, and probably consists of a short circuit or a loose connection. Missing in one cylinder may also be caused by the same trouble, and by dirty spark plugs. If the cylinder shows a tendency to puff a little, but not give full power, it is a sign that the ignition is all right, but that the trouble is with the valves, one of which is probably sticking.

If the engine slows down a little before stopping, look for a stoppage in the gasoline line. A dry bearing or cylinder, from lack of lubrication or overheating, will also cause somewhat the same sort of stop so far as the time element goes. The difference will be that in the one case the power will be lost to fail, while in the other the motor will labor perceptibly. In any case, when the motor has stopped, the first thing to be done in hunting the cause is to consider carefully how the motor acted just before the stop. This is the best clue to the cause.

## VALUES HAVE FALLEN.

Average Price of Export Automobiles in United States \$980 in 1912.

The fall in export price of automobiles is an especially striking feature of the United States Bureau of Statistics figures. They show an average valuation for all automobiles exported in 1909 of \$1,800 each, and in 1912 of \$980, the average export price in 1912 being thus but a little more than one-half that of 1909. This remarkable fall in the average valuation of the automobiles exported is due in part to a general reduction in the selling price of automobiles during the period in question, a disposition on

## RUSSIA'S BANKERS AIDING AUTO TRADE

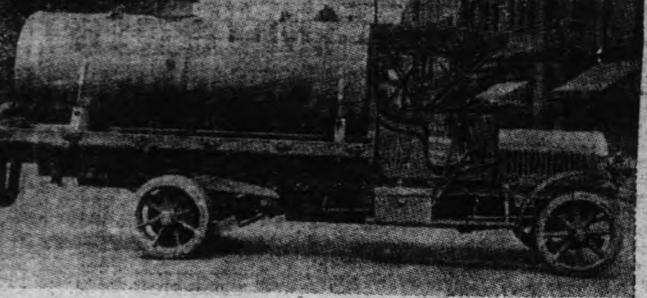
Progressive Institutions Have Established Automobile Departments to Help Business

It is generally known by the American automobile manufacturers that foreign automobile builders are doing everything in their power to stop the invasion of the American car. This feeling, however, is confined almost entirely to the automobile manufacturers of Europe.

The Russian bankers appreciate the fact that they are losing a large volume of business through this constant fight to keep out the American cars. Business that would have amounted to many thousands of dollars has in this way been lost to the Russian banks.

To overcome the difficulty several of the most progressive banks of Russia have inaugurated automobile departments. It is their intention to handle the automobile business in the same manner that they have successfully handled the implement business. The large banks of Russia are represented throughout the entire empire by branch houses. Through these branch houses they deal with the automobile dealer direct, disregarding the manufacturer.

Practically all the retail automobile business in Europe is done on credit. The small retail dealer's funds are limited. Backed by a wealthy bank, he would be placed in a better position to handle the sale of automobiles, and with the backing of a wealthy bank he would be placed in a position to do an extensive credit business. In this manner the "automobile" business in Russia is being established on a firmer basis, and foreign business for the American manufacturer looks very promising.



Several motor trucks have appeared on the Coast lately carrying huge water tanks. In some the tank can be removed and the truck thereby rendered useful for all kinds of freight. There is one of these in Victoria now.

## JAPAN USES CARS.

Automobiling on the Increase in Oriental Land; Make Parts at Home.

Improved roads and bridges have made Japan an excellent automobile country, and the importance of cars continues to increase, says Thomas Sammons, consul general for the States at Yokohama. "A large number of foreigners in Japan buy motor cars, the nationality of the purchaser determining, as a rule, the make of the car," he declares.

"A considerable number of the more wealthy Japanese are also making use of automobiles, and this, together with the tourist trade, stimulates this promising industry until the Japanese propose to enter the manufacturing business themselves. They already make various parts of cars. Of a total value of \$445,406 placed on automobiles and parts thereof imported into Japan during 1912, the United States contributed over 50 per cent, the returns by countries being: United States \$251,677; Great Britain \$108,911; Germany, \$31,093; others, \$73,724."

## QUESTIONS.

At what age should human beings be permitted to run automobiles along public thoroughfares?

What proportion of the accidents which happen are due to youthful chauffeurs?

Legally a young man is a minor up to the age of twenty-one. If he is not deemed by the state to have judgment enough before that age to decide about who shall govern him, why should he be permitted to run an automobile? And is not the same thing true—only more so—of women as of men?—Life,

SULTAN MAY HAVE CAR.

The future of American automobiles in Aden, Arabia, depends in a large measure upon the sultan of Aden, a powerful Arab chieftain. He has become interested in American machines, according to Walter H. Schulz, consul for the United States at Aden, and has inquired regarding them at the American consulate. If he purchases a car it is likely that other wealthy Arabs will follow his example.

## MAY INVADE TORONTO.

Having developed into a practical transportation monopoly in London, the London General Omnibus Company is casting its eyes toward Canada for further conquests. Negotiations are under way with the city council of Toronto with a view to introducing a bus service in that city. A flat rate of 5 cents for any distance is proposed.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## AMATEUR BODIES MAY BREAK MORE TROUBLE FOR THE A. A. U.

### Boxing Scandal at Toronto Re-opened by Eastern Authorities; Coast Outlook

Telegraphic reports from the east indicate that another battle between rival amateur athletic bodies is on tap. A meeting will be held in Montreal on Monday night at which different matters now in dispute will be brought to the fore and the indications are that a break will come and that the eastern and western delegates will decide to continue single-handed. This trouble has been brewing for some time but has only now come to a head. The dispute started with the awarding of the boxing championships to Toronto when Vancouver and Montreal fairly pleaded for the tournament. Toronto has been the scene of the boxing championships for so long that the officials probably decided that it would be unwise to change the old ring. Trouble arose over the appointing of Tom Flanagan, an out-and-out professional promoter, to handle the bouts, and also over the size of the ring, and Monday's meeting is the outcome.

#### Unsettled Conditions.

Conditions on the coast are not as settled as they might be. At the present the A. A. U. controls lacrosse, track and field and baseball, but in other sports they are not recognized. For instance, only last Monday at the Victoria Carnival the entry of the James Bay Athletic Club swimming team was refused for the simple reason that their application for affiliation with the Amateur Swimming Association had not been passed by the swimming governors. This caused a big row and the outcome was the ousting of the Amateur Swimming Association by the Amateur Athletic Union until such time as the aquatic body affiliates with the A. A. U. Apparently

### SHAKE-UP COMING IN BALL LEAGUES

If a lot of real inside news isn't let out within the next few months, the 1914 season will witness a brand new deal in the circuits of the big minor leagues.

According to this information, the International League and the American Association will not only be permitted, but will be urged to place clubs in the cities that now have representation in only one of the majors. These cities are Washington, Cleveland, Detroit, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh and Brooklyn. By the change in circuits, all the larger cities of the east and middle west would be given continuous baseball, thus shutting out the possibility of a successful "outlaw" invasion.

Brooklyn and Washington, and possibly Pittsburgh, will get International League clubs if this project is carried out, while the American Association will invade Cleveland, Detroit and Cincinnati. Whether the International or the big Association will get the Smoky City is still up in the air.

Jersey City and Providence are the clubs likely to be dropped from the International, if this scheme goes through. In the American Association the clubs to be left by the wayside would most probably be Toledo, Columbus, Kansas City and Louisville.

Not much opposition is expected from Jersey City or Providence, as both clubs have been losing money. In the west, however, there will be one grand fight against the pre-od scheme. It is said that there will be a large-sized ruckus if any attempt is made to transfer the franchises of any of the cities.

The big stumbling block is the fear that the displaced cities in the west would refuse consolation in the shape of clubs in a reorganized western league, and would organize an outlaw circuit.

If Kansas City will be good and quietly subside into the Western League, and Louisville will be content with a berth in the Southern or Western, the promoters of the reorganization will take a chance with Columbus and Toledo. Those are husky "ifs," however, and it is difficult to imagine the big cities on the Ohio and the Kaw accepting any such solution of the problem.

But that is the dope now being considered by the "inner circle" of the "baseball trust," and they may be able to pull it off.

#### \$68,350 FROM CUP TIES.

The balance sheet of the Sunderland Football club just issued is a record-breaker. It shows that the income was easily the highest in the history of the club. The receipts amounted to \$116,000, the principal item being \$68,350 from the English cup competition, from which \$17,000 was paid to visiting teams, leaving a profit of \$49,350.

The home league matches realized \$50,000 and the reserves' matches \$16,000. Under the head of match expenditure \$45,000 was expended, and it included \$24,000 for players' wages, the working expenditure including \$12,000 for transfers. The total expenditure was \$56,000, leaving a profit on the year's working of \$49,350. The assets of the club are estimated at \$80,000 and liabilities \$8,500, this being the share capital. The directors propose to pay a dividend of 6 per cent, this being only the second occasion the club has been in a position to pay a divi-

the coast has not yet been informed of the agreement reached in the east with regard to the exchange of cards by these bodies a thing that is now being done in the east.

#### That Rugby Case.

Rugby football is controlled on the coast by the English Rugby Union and a queer ruling was handed out by this body last fall when Dai Thomas, a prominent player, was refused permission to play with the Victoria Rugby by fifteen against the Australians, despite the fact that he held a Canadian Amateur card. The English Union ruled that he was ineligible because he had played Northern Union Rugby and was therefore under the ban. An appeal to the A. A. U. did not have any effect and Thomas has not been able to play Rugby since, though he is free to participate in all other amateur sports. The oarsmen are under the control of the Northern Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen, who handle all their own affairs.

#### McKay Also Barred.

British Columbia sportsmen are not very much in sympathy with the manner in which they handle the championships in the east and unless there is a good representation of eastern athletes at the coming championships which will be held in Vancouver on September 6, the coast will probably continue to handle its own affairs. Another subject for argument is the fact that Scott McKay, a Victoria boxer, went east last year to compete in the championships, and was refused entry. The fact that he held an amateur card, signed by the Victoria branch of the A. A. U., carried no weight, and considerable correspondence was exchanged on the subject.

Coach Holway, of the Olympic Athletic Club of San Francisco, announces that George Horne, Ralph Rose, Ted Nelson and D. Beeson, will be the Frisco representatives at the Canadian championships to be held next month.

### TRAP TOURNAMENT AT LANGFORD PLAINS

A splendid programme has been completed for to-morrow's shoot on the grounds of the Victoria Gun Club at Langford Plains. The first match will be started at 10 a. m., and all arrangements have been completed for the handling of a large number of out-of-town competitors. The programme is as follows:

Score: A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.

Shaw, r. f. .... 3 1 2 3 0 0

Jackson, d. .... 2 0 2 1 0 0

Cadman, c. .... 4 0 0 0 0 1

James, F. b. .... 1 0 1 0 2 0

Killiany, I. f. .... 3 0 1 1 0 0

Brown, 2 b. .... 4 0 2 4 1 1

Raymond, s. a. .... 2 0 0 0 0 0

McLennan, s. a. .... 3 0 0 0 0 1

Gips, p. .... 3 0 1 0 0 0

Wally, .... 1 0 1 0 0 0

Dell, .... 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals ..... 33 1 11 24 10 1

\*Batted for Gips in ninth.

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Victoria: A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.

Crum, c. f. .... 4 1 1 2 1 0

Rawlings, 2 b. .... 2 0 1 0 0 0

Meek, 1 b. .... 4 0 2 3 1 0

Swain, L. f. .... 4 0 0 1 0 0

Delmas, s. a. .... 3 1 2 4 2 0

Lamb, 3 b. .... 3 0 0 1 0 0

Shea, c. .... 3 0 0 11 3 0

Kantiehner, p. .... 3 0 0 0 2 0

Totals ..... 33 1 7 27 15 0

\*Score by innings—

Seattle ..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1

Victoria ..... 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0

Summary: Batters hit—Strait, Rawlings, Shea. Two-base hit—Meek. Three-base hits—Strait, Brown. Home run—Delmas. Stolen base—James. Double play—Raymond to Brown; to Brown to Shea to Delmas. Hit to Lamb to Shea to Delmas. 10; by Gips. Struck out—By Kantiehner, 10; by Gips, 2; by Gips, 2. Passed ball—Shea. Hit by pitcher—Shaw. Time of game—1:45.

Score: R. H. E.

Vancouver ..... 1 1 2 1 0 0

Toronto ..... 0 1 1 0 0 0

Batteries—Clarke and Konnick; Kaufman, McDonald and Lenham.

### BEES TAKE FIFTH IN EXCITING PLAY

#### One of Best Games of Season Seen by 2,000 People Yesterday

Before a crowd of 2,000 fans, the Bees yesterday administered defeat to Seattle for the fifth time this week. Kantiehner occupied the mound for the Bees, while Raymond sent in his star slabster, Gipe, to break the Bees' winning streak. Inability to hit Kantiehner in the pinches, backed up by brilliant fielding of his team-mates, accounted for the local's victory. Gipe pitched fine ball, as good as Kany in fact, but he was found for hits in the pinches, while the local boy was invincible in these stages.

On two occasions Seattle batters secured triples, but were stranded on third sack. Brown the first man up in one innings singled, but the next three batters could not deliver a hit to score him. In the fourth innings Seattle scored their only run of the game after Jackson had singled. Strait followed with a triple, scoring him. The next batters either batted feeble grounders or popped up, so Leo was stranded at the bag. Herr Meek stranded both in the field and at bat for the Bees, his terrific drives bringing in two runs, while Delmas' home run in the second accounted for the other tally.

Crab Raymond was banished from the game in the fifth innings for arguing with Umpire Ostwick. After Shaw had fanned in this innings Shea rolled the ball towards the pitcher's box and Shaw started for first, but was called out.

Kantiehner weakened as the game progressed. In the eighth, with a man on second and a runner on third, a fast double spoiled Seattle's chances. Also in the ninth he was in danger, with two men on the bases and none out. Fullerton attempted to sacrifice. The ball was a low fly and Meek came in on the run from first, scooping the ball with one hand and doubling Killellay at second, thus winning the most exciting game of the year.

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McCarthy's Estate.

Springfield, Mo., Aug. 9.—An expense account of more than \$4,000 was presented by the cost of the last month of the life of Luther McCarthy, the late pugilist, was approved here yesterday by Otto Lippman, administrator of the estate. The account was filed by Billy McCrory, manager of the prize-fighter, to show how McCarthy's receipts from the fatal fight at Calgary, Alberta, were spent.

Their share amounted to \$4,232.50. All but \$26 of this was spent between April 28, when they left New York to begin the trip to Calgary, and May 28, when McCarthy was buried in Ohio.

DECISION WAS UNPOPULAR.

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—"Bob" McAllister and Sailor Petroskey, middleweights, fought twenty rounds to a draw last night. The decision was a surprise to the crowd. Sporting writers present were unanimous in conceding fifteen rounds to McAllister. The fight was dreary throughout.

PLAY THIS EVENING.

The St. Francis ball team and the Beacon Hills will clash in a senior league fixture at the Royal Athletic park this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Charlie Suphils will likely be on the mound for the Hills, with Grady in reserve.

### CRACK GOLFER



### WESTMINSTER STAR

### LIPTON CUP WON BY SPIRIT I.

#### Vancouver Yacht Takes Easily in Race Which Brings Out Twelve Entries

Spirit I. won the Lipton cup yesterday afternoon in a light wind from eleven other entries in the yacht race. She was sailed by her owner, Clifford Cao, who came over from Vancouver in the morning for that purpose.

The course was the old Victoria one, which measures about thirteen sea miles, and this was dotted with white-winged craft, the beautiful weather tempting everyone who had a yacht or motor boat to turn out. The finish was off the site of the breakwater at Ogden Point, as witnessed by many hundreds of people who watched the race from Dallas road.

In the broom that prevailed throughout the Spirit I. easily led the way and the other contestants all the way, coming in three-quarters of an hour ahead of the next four yachts. These, again, were a long way in advance of the remaining boats.

Mr. Reaney's Myth came in second, Macdonald's Onoma third, Mr. Connelly's Gwendolyn fourth, and Mr. Larsen's Ortona fifth. The other entries in the race were: Natoose, Bonita, Madeline, Trout, Alisa, Clytie and Ivanhoe.

The winner is the first yacht in the Victoria club that she is closely associated with the Admirals and the Spirit II., which latter has never yet been able to beat her, although built by Ted Geary, of Seattle, with that object. She is a sloop yacht with an international rating of 29 feet and sets 1,150 feet of canvas. A crew of six and a skipper, Cao and his brother in racing the boat.

### LEN TURNBULL

Clever Westminster home-fielder, who played a steady game against the Vancouverites twelve at Oak Bay on Wednesday afternoon.

GOES TO MONTREAL  
PATRICK MAY CONFER

Vancouver, Aug. 9.—Frank Patrick, who formerly played hockey in the east with McGill, Victorias, Wanderers and Renfrew and who later established the Pacific Coast Hockey Association and built rinks at Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster, is expected in Montreal this week.

According to a letter received from the former eastern star, he is undergoing an operation and treatment in New York for a growth in his right eye which followed an injury received in a hockey game at Vancouver two years ago. Patrick has on hand the building and equipping of a winter sports section for the San Francisco Exhibition of 1915 and is in the East today.

While in the east it is expected that the subject of a hockey commission will come up again. It is interesting to note in passing that President Lichtenstein of the Montreal Baseball Club and Westminster Hockey Club has gone to New York ostensibly on a pleasure trip during which he intended to look at some of the major league ball players. It is quite possible, however, that an interview between the western and eastern hockey magnates may take place in New York.

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The National Institute of Sciences has appropriated \$25,000 toward a fund for the free distribution of Prof. Knowles' new book, "The Key to the Development of the Inner Forces." The book lays bare many astounding facts concerning the practices of Eastern Yogis and explains a wonderful system for the development of Personal Magnetism. Hypnotic and Telepathic Powers and the curing of diseases and habits without drugs. The subject of practical character reading is also extensively dealt with, and the author describes a simple method of accurately reading the secret desires of others through thousands of miles away. The author's endless stream of letters requesting copies of the book and character delineations indicate clearly the universal interest in Psychologics and occult Sciences.

"Rich and poor alike benefit by the teachings of this new system," says Prof. Knowles, "and the person who wishes to achieve greater success has but to apply the principles laid down. That many wealthy and prominent people owe their success to the power of Personal Magnetism there is not the slightest doubt, but the great mass of people have remained in bitter ignorance of these phenomena. The National Institute of Science has therefore undertaken the most arduous task of distributing this knowledge without regard for class or creed. The information herein before possessed by the few. In addition to supplying the books free, each person interested at once will also receive a character delineation from Prof. Knowles. If you wish a copy of Prof. Knowles' book and a Character Delineation, simply copy the following verse in your own handwriting:

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## HOURS WITH NATION BUILDERS

### PRINCIPAL GORDON

Queen's University

By Robson Black.

Nova Scotia is the cradle of University presidents just as it is the cradle—on its own boast—of nearly every other form of special aptitude for administrative office. The records show that the boast has a tolerably good foundation.

When Daniel Miner Gordon left his Halifax church and took up shield and battleaxe as principal of Queen's University, he committed himself to perplexing and merciless duties, the burden of which had delivered George Grant to his grave years before his time. At a period of life when aggression is usually a memory and men settle back into reflection, he undertook to act as teacher, ambassador, business supervisor, agent-general, confessor and lookout man. Those who did not understand said that no mere maritime province preacher could run a university on business lines. Those who knew better said that a minister who had generalized the church's battles on the frontiers of the West, changing his frock for a soldier's coat to take toll of Louis Riel, a minister who had an iron-cored patrism and personal graces of a very attractive kind, could and would make a principal of ordinary calibre.

Dr. Gordon knew Western Canada before it knew itself. He preached sermons in St. Andrew's Church, Winnipeg, when Winnipeggers reached home by way of Chicago and perused sceptical reports of a company called the C. P. R. running a line round the humps of Lake Superior. He walked over Calgary twenty years before Calgary started to walk over the Dominion, and knew Edmonton when you could salute the whole population by waving a hand at the Hudson Bay store. This gentle-mannered patriarchal figure, rich in years and the joys of fine scholarship and the knowledge of great duties greatly done, is one whose life will be misread if the chapters preceding his official career are given secondary attention. One of these preceding, and indeed continuous, chapters has to do with him as a Canadian of extraordinary patriotism. He waves no flag and sings no songs, but his heart grips hold of Canada like the heart of a lover. On his return from an Australian tour not long ago he met a friend in the rotunda of a Toronto hotel and when he had told him how he admired Australia and New Zealand he cast in this irrepressible reflection: "But isn't it a fine thing, after all, to say you're a Canadian?"

He preaches peace. No public man in the Dominion preaches more kinds of peace, or hits at war with so persuasive blows. Shrinking, neutral-blooded men sometimes preach peace as the voice of their personal blandness and timidity. Hardly that with Dr. Gordon. He probably holds not far from Normal Angell that until a revised philosophy of the wastefulness of all wars permeates the skulls of European war lords, Britain should not think of reducing her preparations by a single shilling. Forty or more years ago Dr. Gordon, as a young minister, was becomingly zealous in the cause of civil and international peace. When the call came for British loyalists to match their lives against the crazy rebellion of Riel, Gordon marched as chaplain of the 90th of Winnipeg and passed through a fairly drastic baptism of buckshot and Winchester rim-fires. When he had thus tasted war he went back faithfully and with fuller knowledge to magnify the truths of "seek peace and pursue it."

With Dr. Gordon's Canadianism stalks a vigorous and intelligent Imperialism, the sort of Imperialism that would smell as sweet under any other name, coming down to him as it did through his Picton birth, his Winni-

Gordon's case unselfishness and sterling ideals have not worked out in a whirlwind reputation as orator or publicist or brought him many popular halos. Folks do not call him a wizard. They hardly ascribe him uncanny powers as they like to do with Lloyd George and Sir William Mackenzie. They don't even call him a genius. But they go beyond the twisting of superlatives and strike home with a bold tribute.

"Character," they say, in another's words, "character shows itself apart from genius as a special thing. The first point of measurement of any man is that of quality."

## Library Books

The following new books have been received at the library during the past week:

**GENERAL.**  
Burt, A. L. & Co., Pub.—Swedish-English dictionary. 439.73-127.  
Chisholm, George C.—Commercial geography. Ref. 285-C84.  
Browne, W. & Thompson, J. E. H.—Temple dictionary of the Bible. Ref. 220.3-128.

Manstein, J. E.—First year French for young beginners. 446-M23.  
Maud, Gouraud, a guide for beginners. 076-M29.

**PHILOSOPHY.**

Allen, James A.—A man thinketh. 170-A28.  
Dale, Charles Fletcher—Ethics of progress. 171-D26c.  
Gulick, Luther Halsey—Mind and body. 131-G27ml.

Notestein, Wallace—History of witchcraft in England. 122.4-N91.

Abbott, Lyman—Seeking after God. 220-A128.

Figgins, John Neville—Civilization at the cross roads. 240-F47.

Hardy, Thomas—Apostolic age, in the light of modern criticism. 270-H78.

Watson, John—Respectable sins. 265-W23.

**SOCIOLOGY.**

Chomley, G. H. and Outshoorn, R. L.—Essential reform; land values taxation. 338.1-C54.

Douglas, George T.—History of Cavalry from the earliest times. 287-D26.

Fitch, John—Art of architecture. 371-F24.

Garvie, Alfred E.—Religious education, mainly from a psychological standpoint. 271-G24r.

Great analysis; blest for a rational world-order. 320-G73.

Gulick, Luther H. and Ayres, L. P.—Medical inspection of schools. 271.712-G12.

Harrison, Elizabeth—Study of child nature. 372.2-H31.

King, Irving—Social aspects of education. 270-K11.

Royce, Stuart Henry—Physical nature of the child and how to study it. 271.7-R57.

Scott, Colin Alexander—Social education. 270.5-G24ac.

Weyl, Walter Edward—New democracy. 220-W54.

**NATURAL SCIENCE.**

Barnes, Edward T.—Ice formation with special reference to anchor ice and frazil. 551.57-B29.

Bonney, G. E.—Electrical experiments. 537-B11.

Butler, G. Montague—Pocket handbook of mineralogy. 553-B38.

Cornish, Charles John—Animal artizans. 550-C31an.

Duckworth, W. L. H.—Prehistoric man. 270-D24.

Francis, Mary Evans—Book of grasses. 554.5-F81bo.

Gill, J.—Text-book on navigation and nautical astronomy. 527-G47.

Gordon, Ellard—Astronomical curiosities. 525-G46.

Kerr, J. Graham—Zoology. 530-K41.

Lovell, Daniel Allen—Practical geometry and trigonometry. 515.7-L51.

Scott, John—Agricultural surveying. 536.9-S42ac.

**USEFUL ARTS.**

General.

Barlow, Francis A.—Herb-garden. 635-B24.

Butterick Publishing Co.—Dreamer, a complete book on all matters connected with sewing and dreammaking. 646.43-B80.

Eisner, Manuel—Modern high explosives; nitro-glycerine and dynamite. 662-E36m.

Herrick, Cheeseman A.—Meaning and methods of commercial education. 550.7-H36.

Thompson, John Smith—History of composing machines. 655-T74.

Medicine and Hygiene.

Croker, Edward F.—Fire prevention. 614.5-C28.

Jones, David Starr—Heredity of Richard Roe. 613.9-J82.

Lynch, Charles—First aid. 614.5-L98.

Willson, Robert N.—Nobility of birth. 613.9-W74.

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**LITERATURE.**

Benjamin, Charles H.—Steam engine, a concise treatise for student and engineer. 621.1-B46.

Bishop, W. J.—Motor bodies and chassis. 629.1-B51.

Clegg, Dugald—Gas petrol and oil engines. 621.4-C85.

Grech, John E. and Arendt, Morton—Electric motors; their action, control and application. 621.33-C92.

Garrison, Herbert Alfred—Heat engines. 611.1-G28.

Gethin, George Frederick—Steam power plant engineering. 621.1-G22.

Hawkins, Nehemiah—Handbook of calculations for engineers and firemen. 621-H20.

Hobart, Henry Metcalf—Electric motors, continuous polyphase and single phase. 621.1-H68.

Hoffe, G. S.—Autocar; Imperial Autocar. 621.5-H28.

Marshall, Percival—Simple electrical working models; how to make and use them. 621.5-M28.

McGraw, Charles Algernon—Steam turbine. 621.16-P24.

Rogers, William—Pumps and hydraulics. 621.25-R72.

Smith, C. A. M.—Handbook of testing materials. 620.112-S64.

Swingle, Calvin F.—Locomotive fireman's boiler instruction. 621.1-S97Lo.

**FINE ARTS.**

General.

Buckley, Edmund—Fine arts, a university course on architecture, sculpture, painting and decoration. 707-B22.

Crane, Walter—Baseball; Imperial Auto. 708-A21.

Magnus, Owen B.—How to measure up woodwork for buildings. 624-M18.

**TRAVEL.**

Allen, Grant—Florence. 914.5-A427.

Brady, E. J.—King's caravan across Australia in a wagon. 619.4-B81.

Cain, George—Byways of Paris. 914.45-C81.

Hill, Frederic Stanhope—Twenty years at sea. 1923. 910.4-H64.

Joyce, Thomas Athol—South American archaeology. 913.5-J89.

**HISTORY.**

Barine, Arvede—Louis XIV. and La Grande Mademoiselle. 914-B27.

Churchill, Winston Spencer—London to Ladyhawke via Pretoria. 968.7-C87.

Fisher, George—Outline of universal history. 909-F10.

Harrison, W. J.—Evolution of the prairie province. 972.1-H56.

Jal, Lajos—Louis de la Valliere and the early life of Louis XIV. 944.65-L18.

Wainwright, W.—Popular history of Canada. 971-W32.

**FICTION.**

Crane, Walter—Base of design. 746-C90a.

Furness, Harry—How to draw in pen and ink. 741-F50.

Montgomery, John Kimberly—Oriental rugs. 740-T54.

Swanson, C. M.—Colled basketry. 745-S97co.</p



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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.)

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F. Smith, of London, England, is a guest of James Bay hotel.

Miss Elliott, of Vancouver, has registered at James Bay hotel.

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J. C. A. Labrech, of Edmonton, has registered at James Bay hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jardine, of Vancouver, are staying at James Bay hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotton George, of London, England, are staying at James Bay hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson and family have returned to Victoria from a trip up the Island. They are staying at James Bay hotel.

H. J. Bonner, of London, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

H. J. Cambie, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

D. N. Williams, of Toronto, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

H. G. Cain and Mrs. Cain, of Seattle, are staying at the Empress hotel.

P. F. Crenin, of Toronto, registered at the Empress hotel this morning.

W. N. Homfray, of Kamloops, is at the Empress hotel while visiting the city.

Hugh A. Heggie, of Vernon, is a guest at the Empress hotel, while in the city.

Walter Shaw, of Bradford, Eng., is among the new arrivals at the Empress hotel.

Robert Marpole, executive agent of the C. P. R., is registered at the Empress hotel.

J. B. Higginson, of Montreal, is visiting the city and is registered at the Empress hotel.

M. Gilliam and W. N. Gilliam, of Seattle, registered at the Empress hotel this morning.

T. McG. Carter and Mrs. Carter registered at the Empress hotel this morning from Vancouver.

E. Nicholson, of Winnipeg, arrived in town this morning and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Among those registered at the Strathcona hotel from New Westminster are Mr. and Mrs. Sorley.

Helen from Vancouver, Mrs. Frank Sherbourne and her daughter are visiting relatives for a short time.

Miss Mary Atkinson, who is in the city from Tacoma, is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Wood, 822 Government street.

R. H. Sperling, general manager of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, registered at the Empress hotel this morning. He is accompanied by Mrs. Sperling.

After a year's tour of Europe, E. H. Russell returned to the city yesterday. His nephews, sons of Dr. W. L. Russell, New York, came with him and will stay for a short time in Victoria.

At "Broadbush," the officiating minister's residence, a very pretty wedding took place last evening, when the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Mr. Walter Stewart Brunell, of Victoria, and Miss Christina Baxter of Shelton, Scotland. The bridegroom was supported by his brother, Mr. George F. Brunell, and the bride, maid of honor was Miss Margaret Heron Geil.

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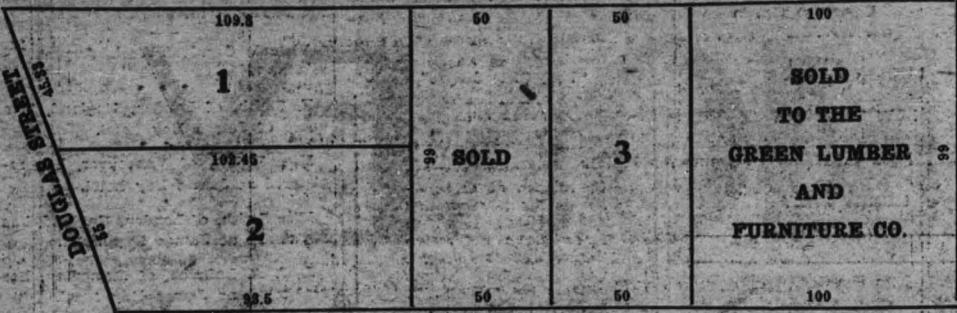
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BY B. B. COOKE

to, Aug. 7.—Interest was roused in social circles in this city and recently by the announcement in Washington that the United Treasury will advance cash to American banks in exchange for whatever first-class securities they have and thus enable the banks to avoid a money stringency when the crops have to be moved this fall. Some of the eastern newspapers hinted that there might be a lesson for Canada in this, and that the Canadian government would do well to show the same anxiety over the supply of money for Canadian crop moving as Secretary McAdoo has shown.

Obviously, say the financiers, no such thing could be expected from the Canadian banks. McAdoo's scheme means simply that the Washington treasury, which keeps large supplies of currency on hand, shall act as a big lending bank where the real banks of the country can bring their burden of loans and re-discount them—so as to give them a margin for profit on the money thus obtained. While a number of leading eastern American bankers say the move is quite unnecessary and is only a bit of melodrama on the part of the new secretary, Canadian bank men insist that the scheme is not only a good one but will lead sooner or later to a solution of the problem of an inelastic circulation system as now exists in the States. Not a few Canadians find occasion to "crown" about the superiority of our Canadian circulation system over the American system, pointing out that our banks are not allowed to issue currency up to the amount of their paid-up capital, but can issue in the crop-moving months additional currency amounting to 15 per cent of their combined paid-up capital and reserve. It is a fact, however, that the issuing of this additional currency costs the Canadian banks fairly heavily in fees to the Ottawa department, and they are not too quick to take advantage of the very scheme for an elastic circulation system, which they now point out so proudly.

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By the treaty concluded at Washington seventy-one years ago to-day between Lord Ashburton, British special minister, and Daniel Webster, American secretary of state, the boundary dispute between New Brunswick and Maine was settled, but hardly to the satisfaction of the people of the province. Lord Ashburton belonged to that class of British statesmen who considered colonial responsibilities a burden, while Webster, a shrewd diplomat, represented those Americans whose demand was for expansion at any price. The result of the battle of wits between two such men was that, of the 12,000 square miles of territory in dispute, the United States got 7,000 square miles, the more valuable as well as the larger portion. Thus the future Dominion was deprived of an Atlantic winter port as well as of much territory. When the treaty came before the United States senate for ratification, Webster feared that that body might consider that he had not secured a large enough slice, and displayed a map made by Franklin which showed that the English contention in regard to the boundary was correct! Webster considered that his negotiations were quite "a feather in his cap," and the Canadians of to-day must agree that he was justified in his conceit. Yet the "Little Englanders" hailed Lord Ashburton's treaty as a triumph, and agreed with him that the disputed territory was "worth nothing."

Hector Fabre, editor of *L'Ordre*, of Montreal, *Le Canadien* and *L'Evenement* of Quebec, and of *Paris-Canada* in Paris, was born in Montreal seventy-nine years ago to-day. He was educated for the law, but early in life adopted journalism as his life-work.

The first of the higher institutions of learning in North America, "Harvard College," held its first commencement exercises on this date, August 9, in 1642. The "schools or college" at "Newtown" was named in honor of the Rev. John Harvard, an English clergyman, who died in 1638, leaving a will by which half of his fortune of some \$7,000 was given to the proposed institution. Newtown was changed to Cambridge in honor of the famous English university. As soon as Harvard's bequest was made known, a class of students began a course of study under Nathaniel Eaton, remembered for his strict and severe discipline. At first Harvard was little more than an Indian school. Efforts were made to educate a few of the aborigines as teachers of their own race, but the attempt was a failure. In 1640 the Rev. Henry Dunster—later forced to resign because of his religious opinions—became the first president of Harvard "College," and he presided at the first commencement, when nine students were graduated. While Harvard is the oldest of American colleges, there were several universities in Latin America long before Harvard was dreamed of.

That statistic may mean nothing to you, beyond the often observed phenomenon that a Saturday always precedes a Sunday, bringing with it the blessed privilege of sleeping late and of indulging in those mild forms of mania which nowadays so often characterize what Maurice Ketten cynically refers to as "the Day of Rest."

To the rural inhabitants of the eastern central counties of New Jersey, however, the second Saturday of the month named in honor of Gus Selzer is the big day of the year, compared to which the honorable Fourth of July is but the pale reflection of the shadow of the ghost of joy.

From time immemorial—and Jake Jimpson, of Manasquan, says he remembers that the custom began even before that—rustic Jersey has turned itself loose on the second Saturday of August, the occasion and the excuse for the orgy of wild extravagance.

J. Jenkins spent \$4.25 last year, what with one thing and another—being the annual bath or "wash day."

By this it is not meant to suggest that bucolic Jersey bathes but once a year. The bath tub, that cherry in the cocktail of civilization, long ago invaded New Jersey, and the Saturday night bath is as much of an institution in rural Jersey as it is in this city at the select boarding house kept by the widow—you know the one we mean—who was formerly a lady of leisure, but who was brought to her present reduced circumstances by the unfortunate investments of her late millionaire husband.

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Some in carriages, some in lumber

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SURVEYOR - Orell M. Roberts, B. C. Land Surveyor, Room 112, Pemberton Block, Phone 262.

GREEN BROS. BURDEN & CO., civil engineers, Dominion and B. C. land surveyors, 114 Pemberton Block, Branch offices in Nelson, Fort George, and Hazelton.

DR. & MCGREGOR, LTD., civil engineers, British Columbia land surveyors, land agents, timber cruisers, J. H. McGregor, president; J. F. Tamm, man, dir.; Ernest D. MacGregor, 111, P. O. Box 100, Northern lands; T. A. Kitch, timber dept.; Bateman-Hutchinson, city and local, Chancery Chambers, 63 Langley street, P. O. Box 100. Phone 651. South Africa office, McGregor Rock, Third street.

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A. F. ROY'S art glass, leaded lights for churches, schools, public buildings, private dwellings. The only firm in Victoria manufacturing steel cored lead for leaded lights. Plain and fancy glass and works and studio, corner Douglas and Douglas streets, back of Douglas St. Fire Hall, Gorge road, Hillside Building, Douglas street cars. Phone 201.

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## BLUE PRINTING AND MAPS.

ELECTRIC BLUE PRINT & MAP CO., Room 214 Central Building. View street. Blue printing, maps, drawings, in surveys, maps, and drawing of maps and plans. Phone 1594.

ISLAND BLUE PRINT & MAP CO., basement, Sayward Block, Daughramen, map compilers and blue printers. Our maps kept up to date. Phone 1582.

## BRICK WORK.

LET US ESTIMATE your concrete and brick work; prices and work are right. J. F. McNamara, 92 Pandora Ave.

## BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

SMALL HOUSES BUILT, by day labor or contract. Apply Ferris, 1724 First Street.

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Estimates on all kinds of work; quick and good work at time of prices. Phone 1513.

## FRANK DAVISON, builder and carpenter. Houses built, fine and economical, prepared to order. Cabinet work a specialty. P. O. Box 1439, Victoria. Shop and residence, south end of Admirals road Esquimalt.

FOR ESTIMATES on carpenter work and concrete, call me. R. T. McDowell, 55 Pandora street. Phone 1517.

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PLASTERING CONTRACTOR - Wm. Hunter, plastering contractor, 305 Cadboro Ave. Estimates free. Phone 1273.

## PICTURE FRAMING.

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ROYAL ARCANUM - McAuley, Council, 3612, meets in the A.O.U.W. Hall, Yates street, 1st and 2nd Fridays in each month. Visiting brethren welcome.

## SEWER PIPE.

SEWER PIPE Field tile, ground fire clay, tile, etc. B. C. Pottery Co. Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

## SHOE REPAIRING.

WE MAKE, sell and repair shoes. Modern Shoe Repair Co., Oriental Alley, opposite Bldg. Theatre.

## TRUCK AND DRAVY.

VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAVY CO., LTD., Office and stables, 109 Broughton street. Telephone 12. 2000. Fort and Douglas.

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## SHOW CARDS.

FOR YOUR window display show cards see Nicholls, 12 Bayne Block, Fort St.

## VACUUM CLEANERS.

W. PEACOCK, Phone 498.

## WASHING.

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## COLLECTIONS.

VANCOUVER ISLAND COLLECTION AGENCY - No collection, no charge; monthly statements rendered. 200-201 Jones Building, Fort street. Phone 1532. J. W. Wright, Mgr. Phone 812.

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JOY RIDE IS TAKEN  
IN ANOTHER'S BUGGYCitizen Arrested and Charged  
With Theft of Property of a  
Strawberry Vale Resident

A tale of a joy ride behind a fine horse was told in police court to-day, when Ferdinand Quinck was charged with the theft last night of a horse and buggy belonging to Robert Nell Walker, Strawberry Vale. The defendant was defended by Frank Higgins, elected to be tried summarily and pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Walker said he came into the city shortly after nine o'clock in the evening with his daughter to see the winter carnival. He tied his bay mare, which was harnessed to a Gladstone buggy, in front of the St. James hotel, and made it comfortable there. Returning after ten o'clock when the harbor illuminations were over he found that horse and buggy had disappeared. They looked about for it for some time, and not having any success in the search he reported the theft to the police.

He and his daughter then walked along Johnson street, and after going a short distance they saw the buggy coming towards them, being driven at a rapid gait. He hailed the driver but the horse was not stopped until some men who heard him got the bridle of the animal and held it until he stopped. The man in the dock was the one who was driving.

"Instead of this gentleman expressing regret or offering some reasonable excuse for being in the buggy, which was not his property, he reminded me that he had been in the German cavalry," continued Mr. Walker. "Far from apologizing for having taken it, he began to upbraid me for having left my horse tied up in the street. I thought that was adding insult to injury. There was no officer in sight at the moment so I escorted him to the police station myself. I decided that he would not get away from me."

Magistrate Jay—"Did he offer no excuse at all for being in possession of your property?"

Mr. Walker—"No, and that was what amused me. He seemed to think he had some sort of right to it."

Mr. Higgins—"Did he refuse to go with you to the station?"

Mr. Walker—"Oh, no. He went with me because he had to go. I was determined to stick to him and I knew I was well supported by those around me, who saw the justice of my action, if he had tried to resist."

Mrs. Annie Walker Babbitt corroborated her father. When they overtook the men in the buggy, she went into a store and telephoned for the police while he was talking to the men. When she came out she was told he had gone with the accused to the station and a young man, apparently a gentleman, came up and said he was very sorry for the trouble they had been put to. He said that he was a stranger to the man arrested, who had

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NORTH HAMPSHIRE ROAD—8 rooms, new and modern; \$5,500. \$500 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. a12

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CLOSE TO LAMPSON ST. AND SEA—7 rooms, new and modern, furnace, etc. over-sized lot, very easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a12

1300 BUYS a four roomed bungalow, cement basement, with quarter-acre, balance \$25 a month. Apply 1084 Burdett avenue. a12

FOR SALE—ACREAGE.

A COUNTRY HOME—24 acres, all in fruit trees, apples, pears, plums, strawberries, small fruits, all bearing; house has seven large rooms, piped for furnace, wood burning, stove, and fireplace, chicken houses, etc., finest view in Gordon Head, opposite school and church; must be seen to be appreciated. Apply H. M. Ozard, R. M. No. 4, Victoria. a12

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TWO-MILE CIRCLE—"Mount Royal," Highway road, 1000 feet elevation, of 2 boys. Eas. Fine park, 6-1/2 acres; new, modern, 10-room house, stables, etc.; 300 fruit trees, 16,000 strawberry plants. Most magnificent scenery around Victoria. Cash \$3,500, balance during five years. a12

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FOR SALE—100 acres land, price \$60 per acre. H. Edwards, Miller, P. 12

5 ACRES, Malahat Ganges Harbor, 40 minutes cleared, good house, barn, chicken pens, etc., good water, fine view, partly on Booth's canal, close to sea; exchange for good house. Oliphant & Shaw, 200 Central Building. a12

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CHEAP—5 acres, near Port Angeles; \$75, terms \$5 cash. Box 897, Times. a12

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all employees and local Cooks and Walters' Union, No. 45, for their kind remembrance and efforts in our late affliction.

MRS. MARY TIGHE  
H. H. WHEELER.



## VICTORIA FIREMEN PARADE



## LOCAL NEWS

Coming to City.—Clarence Eddy gave an organ recital at Saskatoon this week, and left there yesterday for Victoria to open the St. John's organ on Monday and Tuesday evening next.

Building Permit.—A building permit was issued to-day to P. Merriman for a seven-roomed dwelling costing \$2,400, at 961 Caledonia avenue. Parfitt Brothers will be the contractors.

Horses in Parade.—The city had 17 single and five double turn-outs of horses in the parade yesterday in addition to two automobile trucks. The appearance of the animals was a fine tribute to the corporation stud which is now in charge of John R. Denholme.

Faith in Street.—Overcome by the heat a man, who would not disclose his name, dropped at the corner of Government street and Cormorant street this afternoon in a dead faint. He was soon revived, and medical assistance was found unnecessary.

Mrs. Schwengers Wins Prize.—Mrs. B. P. Schwengers won the prize for the best decorated boat taking part in the procession last evening to the Gorge, and achieved this distinction with a gondola design. The prize was a bronze medal.

Looking for Dairy Opportunity.—The secretary of the Board of Trade had a call this morning from a leading dairyman who is anxious to establish a creamery in the vicinity of Victoria. He sought a suitable location with good transportation for his product to market.

Prettily Decorated.—Very attractive among the decorations for the Gorge festival last evening was the residence of Captain Brown in Burdett, which was decorated with pretty colored lights, while the flags of the mariner's code of signals were flown freely.

Fireworks To-night.—The set pieces for the fireworks to-night will consist of a representation of Fort Camosun, the proposed Seymour Narrows bridge, the parliament buildings, the drydock, a maple leaf, and a fight between battleships. They will commence at Beacon Hill park and conclude in the waters of the Inner harbor.

Many Glasses Broken.—The high winds and the dense crowds the past few days have caused many people to break or lose their glasses. My perfect system of matching lenses, quick service and reasonable prices have pleased many who have been unfortunate this week. Frank Clugston, Optician and Optometrist, 654 Yates St. (corner Douglas). Upstairs. "A business founded upon honor."

Fire Chief Prepares to Leave.—As soon as Assistant Fire Chief Stewart returns from his holidays in about two weeks, the deputy having waited till the successful conclusion of the parade yesterday, Fire Chief Davis will leave for the south and east. After attending the early portion of the meeting of the Pacific Coast Fire Chiefs' Association at Tacoma, he will go east to New York to the convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers, which will be a notable gathering.

Asks for Report.—No start has yet been made on the Northwest sewer and Mayor Morley said this morning that he had been pressing for an early report on the work from the government engineer, R. H. Thomson, who was called into consultation. He desired the report not only from the standpoint of the health of the district, but in order to start public works. This being one of the few undertakings upon which a sum of money is available for immediate start, the mayor hopes that the government engineer's report will be ready shortly, and that the neighboring municipalities of Saanich and Esquimalt will assist in the necessary details in order that no further delays may be experienced.

Coal stands for 85 per cent. of all mineral dug.

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## MEETINGS

Theological Conference.—Tuesday evening next the Pacific Coast Theological Conference opens in the First Congregational church. The sessions will be open to the public.

Garden Party.—Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock a garden party will be given under the auspices of the Men's Own Bible class of the First Congregational church on the lawn of Mr. A. Howlett, 2064 Marion street, Oak Bay.

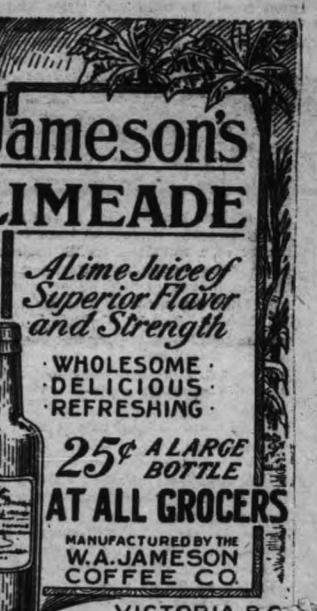
Meet on Monday.—The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society will be held on Monday in the A. O. F. hall.

For Naval Reserve.—A meeting of all those who have declared themselves willing to join a naval volunteer force in this city and also all interested in the movement will be held in room 1, 1007 Government street, on Monday next, August 11, at 5:30 p. m. sharp. It is hoped that all young men with a love for the sea will come forward and start preliminary training. Fresh names will be received at the above meeting.

## NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

213 Sayward Block.

The well-known tailor, Mr. Alex. Peden, has disposed of his business to Mr. W. W. Glass, who is now located at 211-212 Sayward block. Mr. Peden has been appointed agent New York Life Insurance Company, which is recognized as the largest insurance company in the world and his office is at 213 Sayward block.



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In this day of strong delusion it behooves us to abide closely by the inspired word of God, which refutes in the name and in the merit of Jesus in whom alone there is safety. Rom. viii. 35-39. In Ephesians vii. 12 we read "We wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against spiritual wickedness in high places." Again we read of the Prince of the Power of the Air, and again how "The God of this world has blinded the minds of them that believe not, II. Cor. iv. 4. How can this be? What does it mean? Again how is the Church to judge the world . . . and angels. I. Cor. vi. 2-3. The pastor will deal on these and similar questions. "The light shineth more and more unto the perfect day," and the wise shall understand. Dan. xii. 10.

In the evening at 7, Lee building, corner of Broad and Johnson streets. Subject: "The Temple of God." St. Paul says, "Know ye not ye are the temple of God?" This is a wonderful subject, full of interest, full of hope and full of love as revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord. Both meetings are under the auspices of the International Bible Students Association, all cordially invited. Seats free. No collection.

PARTY AT WINDSOR CASTLE.

London, Aug. 9.—Several delegates to-day occupied most of the delegates to the international medical congress. The principal function was a garden party at Windsor Castle, to which 2,000 doctors with their wives had been invited as the guests of King George and Queen Mary, both of whom, however, were at Cawdor.

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## POLICE ARRANGEMENTS WERE ALL ADMIRABLE

Absence of Accident and Crime  
in Spite of Carnival Crowds  
Constitutes Record

This has been an exceptionally busy week for the police force, and good work has been done by both uniformed and plainclothes men in the protection of life and property. A result of this has been that there have been no accidents on the streets except for two that were due to the imprudence or mishap of the victims, and that crime has been practically absent.

It is probably not overstating the fact when it is claimed that never before in a city of this size anywhere has there been a week of merry-making, with the presence in the city of thousands of strangers, when there has been such a record. Nothing has occurred which has brought the work of the police into the daily press in the course of news stories, but none the less the force under the command of Chief Langley has never been tested as it has been during the past ten days. That it has come through with such a record is something that will no doubt give as much satisfaction to citizens generally as it does to the chief and his men—but with them it is in the everyday work and they do not think it is anything wonderful.

There was a tremendous duty cast upon the force in the direction of traffic on the streets, and it was necessary to augment the force on point duty. To this members of the force have been assigned in view of the delicate nature of the work, while the specials have been engaged in patrol largely. For the past three days, especially, point duty has presented a strenuous problem to the men who have had to take it. All who have been down town, particularly at night, and above all last night, must have wondered that no one was hurt or killed by the crush of motors on the streets and with such a jam of pedestrians crowding over on to the pavements and most of them intent on anything but watching out for their own safety.

The mounted constables were of great use on the streets when parades or fire brigade runs were on, and materially assisted in keeping the course clear for blocks at a time.

There was a natural fear on the part of the public and of the force that there would be an influx of the criminal classes from the adjoining cities, especially as there has been a series of big events on the coast which have been attended by crooks of all sorts and it was known that these would move on to Victoria in the usual course. With the assistance of plainclothes men from the mainland cities and the chief cities across the line it was possible to stop the greater number of these at the border, and those who succeeded in slipping through, notice there were caught on the streets and seen out of the city.

Like the uniformed force the detective staff, under the direction of Detective Carlow, was busy day and night, with the satisfactory consequence that they prevented any crime of a serious nature. Up to the time of going to press there had been but one report of a burglary. This took place some time yesterday afternoon while the occupants of the house were out watching the parade. The dwelling of William P. Smith, Collinson street, was entered and a quantity of jewels stolen. There are some roomers in the house and it is customary to leave the door unlocked for them.

Whether the robbery was committed by someone in the vicinity who was familiar with this fact, or by some one who happened along and found on trying the door that it was open, is not known but the detectives are working on the case. Another jewelry theft led to the arrest of a Chinese who appeared in police court this morning.

There has been little picking of pockets, so far as reports to the police go. One took place at Beacon Hill on the first night of the fireworks, another at the Gorge, one after the sports at Oak Bay and one or two on the streets.

Chief Langley, Deputy Chief Palmer, the detectives and other officers of the force have been on practically 24 hours a day duty, and no one will be so glad when the rush is over as the will be. Not that they will relax any of their watchfulness, but it will be possible for them to get something more than four hours' sleep at a time.

Chief Langley and Detective Carlow both desire to express the thanks of the local force to the plain-clothes men from other cities who have been here during the week. It has been no holiday to them, as they have done almost equal duty with the Victoria men and have been an aid in keeping the city clean of crooks from outside who were known to the city men only from photographs. All the visitors are among the best officers in the cities from which they come and their presence here is an earnest of the good feeling and cooperation that exists among the police forces of the Pacific slope.

Jones strolled into the post office to send off a telegram; but, being in no real hurry, waited patiently while the clerk attended to the wants of another man who had entered the office in front of him, and was in need of a penny stamp. The little piece of paper was duly handed across the counter. Then, "Don't you want to post a parcel?" inquired the clerk. "Not to-day," came the reply. "Then what about a few registered envelopes or some postcards. We've got a new supply of them." "But I don't want any!" The man was beginning to grow angry—a fact which made the clerk smile sweetly. "Well, well, well," he remarked. "Postal-orders are always useful. So are money-orders. We can provide them to almost any value, you know. And, for that matter—" But the man had gone. So the clerk, still smiling, turned to Jones. "Sorry to have kept you waiting, sir," he apologized, "but that chap's my barber—I vowed I'd get square with him to-day somehow."

## AN ATTRACTIVE FLOAT



One of the automobiles in the big parade yesterday was decorated as a locomotive and moved along the streets with its bell ringing. Being of white flowers, picked out with colors, the float drew a great deal of attention.

## HUNDRED THOUSAND OVER THE AVERAGE

### H. M. S. NEW ZEALAND SAILS AT 6 O'CLOCK

Street Car Traffic Exceeds All Records; Yesterday Heaviest Day in History of Company

When the carnival closes to-night there will have been carried on the cars of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company far over a quarter of a million passengers, and all these without a single accident of any kind, even the slightest.

It is estimated by the officials of the company that at midnight the traffic record will reach at least 420,000 passengers carried on the cars of the company since they began to run on Monday morning. This represents 100,000 more people than is carried in an average week.

For the five days for which complete traffic returns are available the figures are as follows:

Monday... 46,981  
Tuesday... 50,028  
Wednesday... 50,573  
Thursday... 54,874  
Friday... 59,390  
Saturday (est.)... 60,000

Total for week... 321,344

Yesterday the traffic reached the highest point it has ever touched since trams first began to run here. In effect the whole population of the city was carried once during the day.

Ordinarily the traffic at the present stage of the city's growth is from 34,000 to 37,000 people every day, with the Saturday figures rising to about 45,000. An average week's traffic would be about a quarter of a million.

## SECRETARY DECLARES SUPPORT IS LACKING

Says Victorians Have Not Come to Assistance of Carnival Committee as Expected

The secretary of the carnival committee, Randolph Stuart, expressed the opinion this morning that the public of Victoria had not given the support to the carnival which the committee had a right to expect.

"There has been much criticism," he said, "which is not warranted, and which can only tend to cripple our efforts to make this carnival the most successful show week on the Pacific coast. Look at the musical festival on Wednesday, and the track events of Thursday. How many Victorians attended the former, and why were not more of our athletes out at the meet? We ought to have this support of our own people."

"There is another phase which has been very discouraging to us. People have told the members of the committee that they hate crowds; they have cleaned up their homes and gone away for the week, increasing thereby the difficulties of the accommodation committee and making it more difficult to achieve success."

Mr. Stuart was not prepared to discuss the future of the carnival as yet, particularly as the programme is not yet concluded. He indicated that several details will be modified in future. There was the need of a better system of sectional committees keeping in touch with the central office, to whom the public looked for information.

It is, however, clear from the opinion of members of the committee that they have run across difficult cross currents of feeling.

Officials pay a tribute to the work of the daily press, who have kept the carnival well before the public, and regard that as one of the best features of the week's entertainment.

The committee met in executive this morning and will be again in session early in the week.

## VICTORIA PLAYERS WIN POLO TITLE

Defeat Vancouver Men 8-7 in Exciting Game; Extra Chucker Required

Victoria this morning at the Willows won the polo championship for British Columbia with a score of 8-7 against Vancouver. Alec MacKenzie, who made the final shot which drove the ball through the Vancouver goal, was carried off the field amidst a scene of great enthusiasm after one of the most spectacular and fast matches that has ever been played in the city.

With a score of 5-1 in favor of Vancouver at the close of the third chucker Victoria's chances for the championship looked very slim. But the final three brought out their best play, and the rallies which started the unlockers who had resigned themselves to the defeat of the local team reaped goals rapidly for the Victoria men.

Both teams had their handicaps. Captain Isaac, who sustained a serious injury to his wrist in a practice game yesterday, was unable to play for the Vancouver team; his place, however, being ably filled by Blundell Brown, of the Terminal City's team. MacKenzie, who did some of the best play of the morning, was also disabled temporarily in a practice game yesterday, and came out of hospital after sustaining a mild concussion in order to join his colleagues in the championship contest.

The two teams played magnificently although in all justice to Vancouver it must be said that for the first three chucks they put up a much finer fight than Victoria. The latter team, however, more than surpassed them in the brilliance of their play in the final three chucks, when they made six goals to Vancouver's two, the last chucker closing on a tie of 7-7, when Vancouver forced its way through the Victoria goal. Their play was the more praiseworthy in this game owing to the fact that Snowden, who dropped his stick about a minute before the goal was made, was seriously handicapped as an aggressive element, and spent the remaining seconds in heading off the ponies of the Victoria men.

Vancouver forced the games steadily from the opening game to the half-time, Snowden striking off for Vancouver in the first chucker, and the other in falling in line with some brilliant work. The play was practical before the Victoria goal the whole time, and the local team seemed unable to force back its opponent, the ponies showing up badly and scarcely breaking into a gallop at any time. During the entire period not a single check stroke was offered to Snowden, and it was not until after the bell sounded that MacKenzie scored a goal for the local team.

This score they followed up in poor style, only making two attacks on the Vancouver goal throughout the entire game. Vancouver scored again in the second chucker, and kept its lead by obtaining three further goals in quick succession, Snowden scoring the fifth goal just before the bell sounded for half time.

Grosvenor, for Vancouver, caught the ball in the next chucker which opened the second half of the play, giving a strong back drive that sent the ball well toward the Victoria goal. Gunn, of Victoria, broke a girth just as a foul was notified, and a short pause ensued while this was righted. MacKenzie taking the strike and following it down the field. The game was a long one, but Richards and Gunn finally brought the ball down the field and then hustled it into the Vancouver goal amid wild cheering from the spectators. Vancouver rushed the next game at the start, but Victoria opened up in fine style and did some splendid work, Mac-

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## A MOVING BOWER



One of the pretty floats in the parade yesterday was that prepared by Plimley's garage. It was tastefully decorated with flowers and won many expressions of approval from the long lines of spectators.

## VISITORS IN PROCESSION



## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Boston R. H. E.

Detroit 6 12 2

Boston 3 8 1

Batteries—Willett, Davis and Stanage; Collins, Hall and Carrigan.

At Washington R. H. E.

Cleveland 3 7 2

Washington 1 4 4

Batteries—Blanding and O'Neill; Boehling and Henry.

At Philadelphia R. H. E.

Chicago 1 1 2

Pittsburgh 6 10 8

Batteries—Russell and Schalk; Shawkey and Lapp.

At New York R. H. E.

St. Louis 5 8 2

New York 6 9 2

Batteries—Wellman, Haubardner and McAllister; Alexander, Fisher, Ford and Sweeney.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh R. H. E.

Boston 3 7 1

Pittsburgh 2 10 8

Batteries—Tyler and Whaling; McQuillan, Robinson and Gibson.

### FIRE AT COBALT

Cobalt, Ont., Aug. 9.—The old Prospect hotel on the Cobalt Square was gutted by fire early this morning and in the loss of the building two tobacconists lost their entire stock.

The Bank of Ottawa was also a heavy loser of valuable papers which they had no time to put into the safes. The loss is between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

## MEAT SAWING MACHINE

Shoulder of Beef is Separated Like a Piece of Wood.

There is an art in cutting meat and it is not easy work to do well, but the clumsy butcher's boy can cut a shoulder of beef as neatly and accurately as his employer if he has the sawing machine invented by a California man. The meat block is attached to the machine and a reciprocating saw operates over it. The meat is laid on the block beneath the saw and the butcher turns a crank at the side with

### OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred early this morning of Mrs. Jennie McKechnie, the wife of J. M. McKechnie, of this city. The deceased lady, who was 29 years of age, was a native of Dundee, Scotland, and came here with her husband and two small children six months ago. The family residence is at 2337 Sherbourne street. She is survived by her husband, two small children, and a brother, all in Victoria. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2.30 from the Sands-Fulton parlors.

With their confidence rapidly returning, the Victoria team sailed right up to a tie in 6-6 about ten minutes before time was called in the last chucker, Gunn and MacKenzie making some smart and thoughtful play for the locals and Brown and Grosvenor hitting deftly for Vancouver. Irving made a strong hit for Victoria by catching the ball on the fly and reversing the tendency of the rush toward the Victoria goal. There were some excellent passes in the fifth chucker, and Richards made a brilliant goal in the 6-6 tie by shooting the ball through a maze of ponies' feet right through the goal.

In the throw following 7-6, Vancouver leading, Irving picked the ball out and made straight for the Vancouver goal. Although the ball was returned and played for some minutes directly in front of Victoria's posts MacKenzie concluded the play by a brilliant dash for Vancouver's goal, followed only by Snowden, of Vancouver, the score closing 7-7 just a second before the gong rang for time.

The second tie was the occasion for a more enthusiastic outburst from the ring of spectators than at any time during the play, and many who had commenced to leave the field returned to see the result of the hard-fought contest in the final chucker demanded under the circumstances to decide the match.

Both men and ponies played splendidly, and although there was a fair representation of polo enthusiasts in the stands and along the course it is to be regretted that there were not more spectators to witness the truly exciting contest.

Special reference must be made to the inestimable services rendered during the week by Mr. Gordon, of Grand Prairie, who acted as referee for the polo matches, and whose decisions have been so just in every respect that in not a single instance were they queried.

Los Angeles, San Diego, Santa Barbara, Oxnard, San Bernardino, Long Beach, Bakersfield and Santa Anna will form the eight-club circuit of the reorganized California Winter League.

Fielder Jones, president of the Northwestern League and former manager of the White Sox, is the man generally given credit for the development of Walsh. At that time the big fellow had nothing but a fair assortment of curves and speed, and he was making no special record with the Sox.

Thirteen was the sacred number of the Mexicans and the ancient people of Yucatan. Their week had thirteen days, and they had thirteen snake gods.

Ozone generators have been found to be of great value in refrigerating plants and several of the large establishments of Europe have been thus equipped. In the cold storage rooms attached to slaughter-houses the temperature of the air is liable to be raised to a serious extent when the doors are left open for any reason; for instance, when meat is being packed or taken out. The organisms of putrefaction immediately become active under such circumstances and the keeping quality of the meat is diminished. Now it is well known that ozone is a powerful germicide. If the air of the cold storage room is ozonized, its temperature may be raised without injury to the contents.

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## Financial News

## PRICES HARDEN BUT FLUCTUATIONS SMALL

Crop News Important but Mexican Conditions Over-shadow Sentiment

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, Aug. 9.—The market during the first hour receded in a leisurely manner on a relatively light volume of sales, but towards the close hardened somewhat, though fluctuations as a whole are meaningless and failed to denote any particular trend. The decrease in the unfilled orders of Steel Corporation was about in keeping with expectations and exerted no particular influence. To-day's reports suggested that the agricultural commodity markets may be temporarily relieved of that strain which had been produced by the lack of moisture and high temperatures in certain sections owing to the fact that rains are now predicted in quarters of the belt where its need had been felt most.

Crop news will have much to do with determining course of market, though perhaps a factor which at present seems likely to overshadow other considerations in the status of affairs in Mexico, where conditions seem to be reaching a point where occurrences are likely to be of a nature to disturb financial markets.

High, Low, Blot.  
Amal. Copper . . . . . 72 73 72  
Amm. Can. . . . . 62 62 62  
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Utah Cons. . . . . 202 202 202  
Va. Can. Chemical . . . . . 26 26 26  
Wabash . . . . . 4 3 3  
Do, pref. . . . . 123 121 121  
Granby (Boston) . . . . . 62 61 61  
Total sales, 75,000 shares  
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## TORONTO STOCKS.

(By F. W. Stevenson &amp; Co.)

Bid Asked

E. C. Packers, com . . . . . 128  
Bell Telephone . . . . . 143 . . .  
Burt, F. N., com . . . . . 75 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 184 . . .  
Can. Bread, com . . . . . 19 . . .  
Can. Cement . . . . . 104 . . .  
Can. Gen. Electric . . . . . 103 . . .  
Can. Mach., com . . . . . 45 . . .  
Can. Loco, pref. . . . . 87 . . .  
City Dairy, com . . . . . 109 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 109 . . .  
Commerce Gas . . . . . 109 . . .  
Dotted United . . . . . 70 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 68 . . .  
Dom. Canners . . . . . 68 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 68 . . .  
Dom. S. Corp. . . . . 44 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 44 . . .  
Duluth Superior . . . . . 68 . . .  
Maple Leaf, com . . . . . 43 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 80 . . .  
Mexican L. & P. . . . . 80 . . .  
Montreal Power . . . . . 80 . . .  
N. S. Steel, com . . . . . 70 . . .  
Pac. Burt, com . . . . . 33 . . .  
Pac. pref. . . . . 68 . . .  
Portuguese pref. . . . . 68 . . .  
Porto Rico Railways . . . . . 143 . . .  
R. & O. Nav. . . . . 104 . . .  
Rio Jan. Tram. . . . . 145 . . .  
Sawyer Mas. . . . . 20 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 88 . . .  
St. John . . . . . 84 . . .  
Spanish River, pref. . . . . 84 . . .  
Steel of Can. com . . . . . 83 . . .  
Do, pref. . . . . 83 . . .  
Tobacco Buct. com . . . . . 84 . . .  
Toronto Paper . . . . . 5 . . .  
Toronto Railway . . . . . 120 . . .  
Twin City, com . . . . . 1042 . . .  
Winnipeg Railway . . . . . 151 . . .  
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March 11/92 11.05 10.93 10.92-94  
May 11/92 11.05 10.95 10.97-98  
Aug. 11/92 11.75 11.61 11.57-59  
Sept. 11/92 11.23 11.17 11.20-22  
Oct. 11/92 11.07 10.92 10.94-95  
% % %

## BANK STATEMENT.

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Loans Specie . . . . . 4,700,000  
Legals . . . . . 2,182,000  
Deposits . . . . . 3,627,000  
Dividends . . . . . 2,000,000  
Actions, loans . . . . . 15,645,000  
Specie . . . . . 1,982,000  
Legals . . . . . 273,000  
Deposits . . . . . 5,637,000  
Reserve . . . . . 824,800  
% % %

## MONTREAL STOCKS.

(By F. W. Stevenson &amp; Co.)

Increased, Decreased  
Loans Specie . . . . . 4,700,000  
Deposits . . . . . 2,182,000  
Dividends . . . . . 2,000,000  
Actions, loans . . . . . 15,645,000  
Specie . . . . . 1,982,000  
Legals . . . . . 273,000  
Deposits . . . . . 5,637,000  
Reserve . . . . . 824,800  
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Montreal Aug. 8.—Liquidation on Crown Reserve was resumed at the opening in consideration of the fact that a low level had been reached at 26, after opening at 24 yesterday, the lowest was 25 and the closing at 27. Spanish River also opened with a stamp breaking from 26 to 24 and rallying to 25, yesterday's lowest was 25. Other markets quiet, except for a strong Brazilian advancing to 26 from 25 to 26 yesterday. Cement was 22. Iron 44. Shawinigan 12.

WORLD'S SHIPMENTS OF WHEAT.

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Broomhall estimated world's shipments when in 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 196

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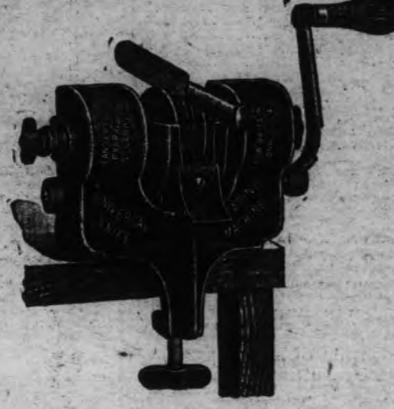
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### Delights of Queen City of Adriatic Are Transferred to Home Waters

Hundreds of persons gathered on shore and boats to witness the display of decorated boats in the land-locked waters at the Gorge last evening, and a pretty scene resulted, one of the most attractive in the whole pageant of the past few days.

While the festival on the waters belonged strictly to the Gorge, it may be said to have spread from the Causeway to the harbor of Esquimalt; for the procession of boats from the Causeway steps never ceased till a late hour, while the play from the searchlights of the warships at Esquimalt lighting up the darkness aided the celebration. Everything which would float, whether launch, rowboat or canoe, was brought into service to convey the crowds, and yet the supply proved inadequate to the demands made upon the boat-houses. While a few of the numerous craft had neglected to provide Oriental lanterns to mark their bows, some had gone much farther and carried out elaborate designs of a decorative character. One of the prettiest decorations was that of Mrs. Charles Wilson, a canoe with Indians, electric lights being used charmingly, while Mrs. Schwengers had an attractive gondola. A third conspicuous boat was that depicting a whale, whose movements occasionally resembled those of the levitation of the deep in getting stranded. Red fire was distributed to the occupants of the boats, and the sulphurous points with their ruddy glare illuminated the area below the Gorge bridge in a brilliant area of light, piercing the gloom, and outlining the trees and people on the banks.

The bulk of the visitors had congregated in the park above under the impression that the festival would be held upon the stretch of water above the bridge. There they waited about in expectation till they realized that the pivot of the display would be below the rapids. Many of the power cruisers meanwhile shot up through the dark waters above the Craigflower bridge, where a better view could be obtained of the searchlights, whose reflection played fantastic pranks in the plaid waters.

Several of the residents had illuminated their homes along Selkirk water, and as the moon rose, its orb took different colors from the smoke of fire-works in the inner harbor, its light penetrating through the haze thus created, adding a weird effect to the illuminations on the water.

The soft music of the bands, the illuminations on the principal city buildings and the swirl of the waters as the gales gusted by all served to stir the imagination and to arouse the sentiment of revelry so necessary to an occasion of this character.

H. M. S. New Zealand and U. S. S. West Virginia threw their twelve searchlights across the portion of the Arm where the Carnival was being held, and the rays crossed and recrossed with amazing swiftness. The sight of the long, thin shafts of light shifting and moving with dazzling speed in the air above attracted much attention from the people in the canoes and on shore, and bore a singular likeness to the famous Aurora Borealis or northern lights. The people in all parts of the city could see the display, and it proved a source of much entertainment to the thousands gathered about the shores of the inner harbor.

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## LONDON JOURNALIST

### ARRIVES IN VICTORIA

Leo. Scheff, Special Commissioner for Leading British Publications on Tour

That the financial stringency is felt almost entirely among real estate speculators and not by what he terms "legitimate" business men in this country is the opinion of Leo Scheff, the well-known journalist, of London, England, who is in the city after having just completed his third coast-to-coast tour of the Dominion.

"The prospects of a splendid crop are good all over the prairies, where I spent some time visiting and touring the country in an automobile," he said. "I went right up into the heart of the country and talked with the farmers themselves, and they all spoke most optimistically of the outlook. The banks have shown foresight in closing down on real estate speculation, and in London at least, this will have the very best possible effect in winning the confidence of financiers."

In connection with his references to the signs of prosperity which he had found in Canada, and more particularly in the West, Mr. Scheff referred with surprise to the changes which he observed in this city of Victoria since his visit here last year. On his last return to England he made repeated reference in his articles in Lloyd's Weekly, the Manchester Courier, the London Graphic, the Glasgow Herald, and other well-known British papers, to which he contributed articles, to the distinctive charm of the British Columbian capital as an English city set down on the uttermost limits of the Empire's domains.

Mr. Scheff is one of the most prolific writers in the English press of to-day on the subject of Canada. He is special commissioner in this country for about twenty of the leading newspapers and journals in England, and has been instrumental in bringing out numerous special Canadian supplements in British papers, including, among others, a 32-page supplement to the London Graphic, the leading illustrated paper published in Great Britain. In that number Mr. Scheff gave a faithful statement of the conditions as he had observed them in all parts of the Dominion.

It is proof of the widespread interest which is being aroused in the people of the Old Country for matters relating to Canada that the newspapers and other mediums of the kind in Britain grasp eagerly at the opportunity to give through their columns information of the kind that Mr. Scheff is able to furnish. On his present trip he has been commissioned by the Glasgow Herald to give a number of full page articles which, for the first time in the history of that Scottish publication, will be illustrated. He has also under way at the present time a special Canadian supplement for Truth, another prominent British publication, in which he will give a resume of his impressions on this his third visit to the West.

Landing at Montreal in the early part of March, the British journalist has taken his tour in deliberate style, although every day has been one of busy study into the conditions which he has undertaken to set out in the English press. Already familiar with the geography of the country through his previous visits, and a constant student of the economic and social conditions as revealed through the Canadian press, he is able to get rapidly into touch with the more specific matters which he has come to investigate at first hand.

"My present tour has taken me to the very heart of the country, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Ontario, the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia," said Mr. Scheff in his interview with the Times yesterday. "I am as convinced as ever of the glorious opportunities of the country. In connection with the bringing out of old country people to Canada, however, I am very much opposed to the movement, which is too often given to clerks and men of that class to come here, because fundamentally it is the land which offers the most inducements to the immigrant to western Canada, and I would only recommend the bringing out of farm laborers and others who can make the most of the agricultural opportunities."

In connection with the question of immigrants, Mr. Scheff referred to the work being accomplished by some of the home reunion associations in Canada who are giving assistance to hundreds of deserving men who come here from the old land. In Great Britain, he said, there was an effort along similar lines, and societies were being formed to assist and encourage farmers to go out to Canada.

As a type of the wonderful accomplishment which he has found in the cities of Canada, Mr. Scheff likes to refer to Medicine Hat, which, he says, at its present rate of progress, will some day be the Pittsburgh of Canada.

"A year ago when I was here before," he says, "Medicine Hat was little more than a small settlement in the prairies. To-day it possesses one of the largest flour mills in the Dominion. This is one of the most up-to-date plants in Canada. In addition to this the city possesses a big pottery works and steel works and some of the finest office blocks which I have seen in the Dominion. I quote Medicine Hat because it is an example of what a city can make of itself through a far-seeing city government. The municipality has given manufacturers free power, free land, and exemption from taxes, and the results have at least shown that inducements of the kind will bring people who otherwise would have stayed away. Of course Medicine Hat is exceptionally fortunate in possessing an unlimited supply of free gas, which is an asset of great value."

Another city of the mid-West which has made great strides during the year is Moose Jaw, where he found the electric car system installed since his

previous visit and a big jewelry store which, in its interior decorations and appointments, rivals, he says, the famous London emporium of Mappin & Webb.

Mr. Scheff practically concludes his six-months' tour of the Dominion by his visit to Victoria, and will be back in London early in September. That his articles are bound to reach a multitude of readers in the old country can easily be judged by a glance into the facts about the circulation of any one of the papers to which he contributes articles. Lloyd's Weekly, for example, has a weekly circulation of over 1,450,000 copies, and the articles which he contributed to that publication after his visit here last year were spread over seven or eight issues. The call of the West is primarily one of genuine admiration for the country, and in renewing his acquaintance with the Dominion Mr. Scheff pronounces the opinion that "it will one day rival its mighty neighbor and become the pivot of the British Empire itself."

### SCOUTS BREAK CAMP

Have Been Popular Feature of Carnival Week; Fairview Troop at Government House.

After a week spent in camp in Beacon Hill park the Boy Scouts will break up late to-day; in fact the Fairview troop, of Vancouver, returned to the mainland on the afternoon steamer.

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The camp, too, was always a source of interest, and many were the compliments paid to the boys for the manner in which it had been kept. If they were camping out the year round they could not be any more expert in keeping their tents and the surroundings neat and clean, and their bedding and accoutrements tidy.

This morning a number of the scouts took part in the demonstration of work and methods by the St. John Ambulance Association. All the troops are trained in first-aid work, and those who had entered in to-day's competition acquitted themselves well.

Yesterday afternoon the Fairview troop, under Scoutmaster Frampton, formerly of this city, were received at Government House by His Honor the Lieutenant-governor. This troop is this year the winner of the shield which presents for competition among the troops of Boy Scouts of the province.

His honor addressed the boys, who were drawn up on the lawn, and expressed his congratulations to them on their success, and on the efficiency they had shown in all branches of scout work. He mentioned his great interest in the movement, which was calculated to be of great value to the boys who were in it, and would train them up as future defenders of their country.

The troop gave the lieutenant-governor the salute at the close of his remarks, and afterwards were entertained hospitably by His Honor and Mrs. Paterson.

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